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G LADIOLUS

From the

“HOME of the WORLD’S
FINEST GLADS and
DAHLIAS”



A. J. ANDERSON

White Bear Lake,
Minnesota, U.S.A.

MY GARDEN

THOSE who love Nature
can never be dull!

They may have tempta-
tions, but they will run
no risk of being beguiled
by ennui, idleness or a want of an
occupation.

The love of Nature keeps us free
from those mean and petty cares
which interfere so much with
calm and peace of mind. It turns
every daily task into a blessing,
and brightens life until it be-
comes almost like a living dream.

My Garden, with its silences, and
beauty, and the pulses of fra-
grance that come and go on the
airy undulations, affect me like
sweet music.

Care always stops outside the
gates and gazes at me wistfully
and jealously through the bars.

Among my flowers Nature takes
me into her own hands, and I
breathe freely and joyously—as
did the first man.



Gladly yours,
A. J. A.

Our Policy of SERVICE

Our SERVICE POLICY in merchandising does not mean just courteous salesmanship, prompt delivery, good measure, and the like.

It consists of a great deal more than those—service in ascertaining and fulfilling the needs and desires of the public in a satisfactory and economical manner, the searching out of the best markets of the world from which may be procured the products best suited to meet our customers' requirements; merchandise which must meet and conform to the very highest standards, and which must also represent the maximum of value that is possible for us to offer at any fair price.

In fine, such service, whatever be its nature, that you would expect to come from

"THE HOME OF THE WORLD'S FINEST GLADS!"

An old Persian proverb says, "The Priceless Ingredient of any product in the world is the Honor, and the Integrity of him who makes it!"

The safe delivery of our merchandise to a customer is never the conclusion of a transaction with us. We are interested in that customer for all time, for in the merchandise he receives is built all the Honor and the Integrity it is possible to include in any product or transaction!

By a close intimacy with the fundamentals of business ethics, by an intimate supervision of the many details involved in growing and marketing "THE WORLD'S FINEST GLADS," and by a never-ending effort and interest in making our bulbs satisfactory to our customers, we are ever striving to better serve those who purchase from us.

For us, the growing of *Gladiolus* is not alone a business. In it we find a rare pleasure which compensates for many of the disappointments and hardships which come in any commercial enterprise. It is doubtful if ever there was a human being with high instincts, who ever was tired by the endless variety, and the glorious colorings of the *gladiolus*.

We would not find this pleasure in business were we to give each buyer just his money's worth of what his order called for, and then call the transaction finished!

Our pleasure is largely found in your pleasure—in the enjoyment you find in your flowers which have come to you from us, and in the delivery of that intangible something called "Good Will" or "Service," and which is always included in the delivery of our orders, "No Charge."

We will continue in our efforts to Serve, for a life-time of willing Service has made us incomparable Friendships of incalculable value.

We trust that you will not hesitate to submit your *Gladiolus* Garden needs and problems to us, for we assure you it will be a pleasure to help.

We want to thank you for the business which you have intrusted to us in the past, and to hope that our SERVICE POLICY, into which has been built a life-time of Honor and Integrity, will merit your confidence for future business.

A. J. ANDERSON,
White Bear Lake, Minn.

Visitors Are Always Welcome

The growing of *Gladiolus* in a commercial way may be "old stuff;" it might even become routine and so without interest to many growers, but to us, it never gets old. For us, the growing of flowers has never lost its romance and charm, and there is poetry in every bloom, interest in every operation from the preparing of our rich, productive soil to the final disposal of every bloom and bulb.

We sincerely urge that you **come and see us**, for there is always something of interest to be seen and learned at our Gardens, and we do not hesitate to give you information, to show you if we can, the many alluring things that you may have overlooked in your Flower Garden.

Every season we have some new and unusual varieties not listed in the catalogue nor for sale till the following year or two. These rare varieties will be of immense interest to real "Glad Fans" as they are not only different from anything we have ever seen but more beautiful in color, and of greater size and sturdiness, with unusual numbers of flowers opening at the time and unusual size to each floret, etc. It is most interesting to see what hybridizers in foreign lands have accomplished in improving the "*Gladiolus*—the king of all our garden flowers." We have succeeded in securing the very finest productions to date from different parts of the world, and cordially invite you to enjoy the beauty of the "Real Aristocrats" of the garden with us.

Our gardens are located 12 miles north of St. Paul, on paved road. Take Highway No. 1 to White Bear Lake. After passing the north-west end of the lake, instead of continuing on No. 1 through the city, you turn to the left, crossing the N. P. R. R. tracks, at the Standard Oil filling station onto Bald Eagle avenue. Continue north 1 mile. Our place is on the west side of the avenue, just before you come to the Soo Line R. R. crossing.

Blooming time with us is usually from July 15 until frost. But more of the finest varieties will be at their best about August 1 to 15, according to season.

We will make you welcome, for we want you to know

The Home of the World's Finest Glads.

The "QUALITY" of Our Bulbs

In the purchase of *Gladiolus* bulbs, the buyer must depend much upon the ability and knowledge, as well as the integrity of the grower, for many of the values of the bulbs are hidden from sight.

Perhaps first of all comes the selecting by the grower of the varieties he will produce and offer for sale. Ideas and tastes in the love of *Gladiolus* are various, and change, and it is with this thought that we are always seeking the newer and better varieties to fill the needs of our discriminating customers who will have "nothing but the best."

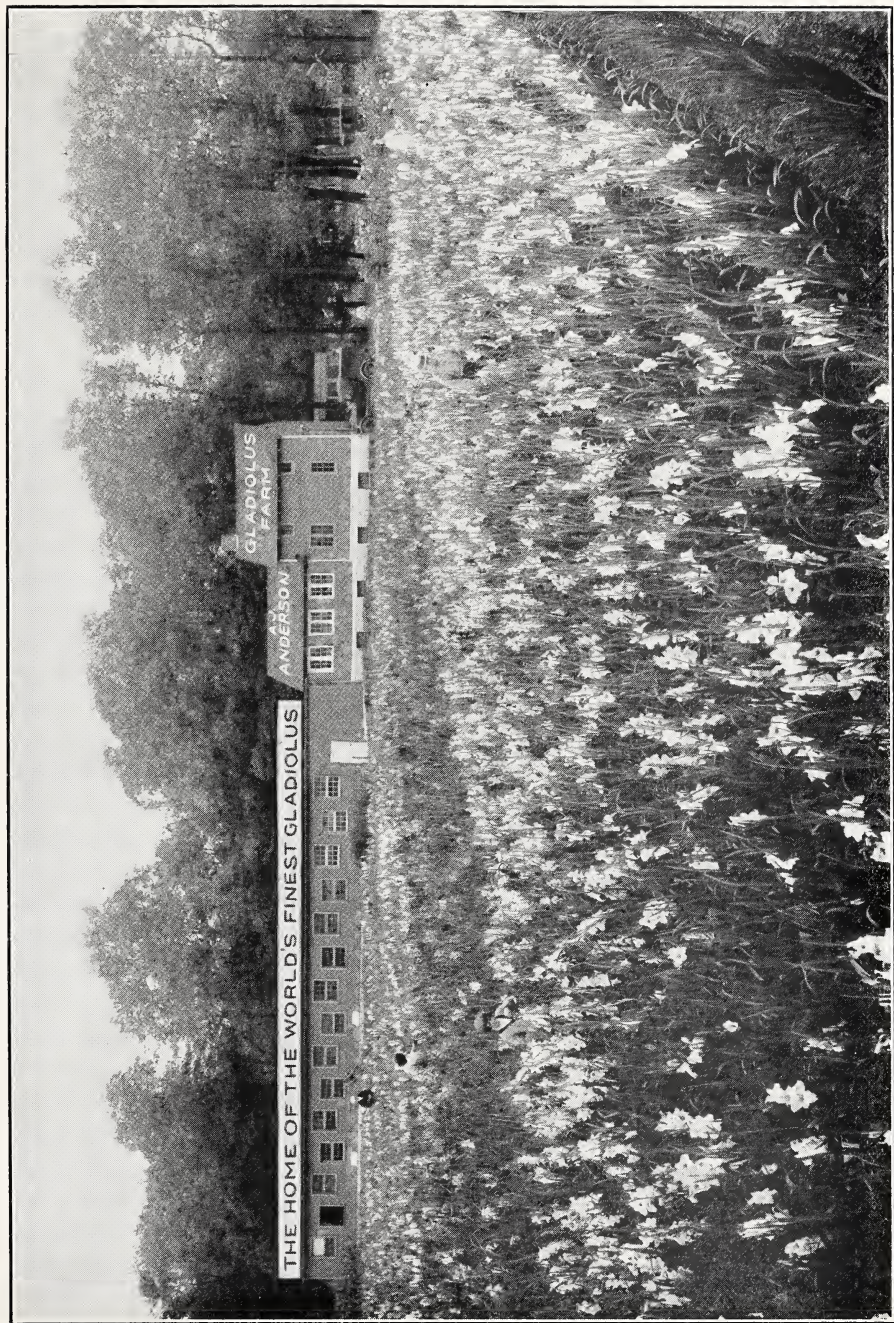
Every phase of the industry, including the choosing and preparation of the fields for planting, the cultivation and growing, the digging and curing, the handling, storing and shipping of the bulbs, all have a most important bearing on high quality.

Each of these operations receives our personal and intimate supervision to the end that no detail is overlooked which will make it possible to add more quality.

Many growers who exhibit their blooms, choose the bulbs with great care, count the days to the blooming time, check against the number of days to the date of the exhibit, and then plant with nothing but the exhibit in mind. They give those bulbs extra care and attention in fertilizing and watering, cultivating, and in other ways, many even protecting them from the wind and sun as they begin to bloom, and then show them as a standard growth from stock bulbs!

That is not our method, for, with us, and our quality bulbs, it is not necessary. Our bulbs are **all of high quality to begin with!** Nor is any bulb petted or pampered in any way different from all the rest! All are treated exactly alike, **but**, all are grown and cared for with the knowledge, and by methods that time, study and experience have taught us will produce bulbs and blooms of unexcelled quality!

The blooming quality of our bulbs is best vouched for by the many thousands of customers in all parts of the world who have bought and grown our bulbs year after year with greatest satisfaction. Thousands of visitors at the Minnesota State Fair in 1924, 1926 and 1928 will remember our exhibits as **First Prize Winners**. In spite of the greatly increased competition in the growing of fine Glads in our state in 1928, we were awarded 18 first prizes, or twice as many as any other exhibitor received. These were won on flowers gathered from the field. Not one had been grown especially for exhibition purposes, or had received any other attention than regular field cultivation.



PART VIEW OF OUR FIELD AT BLOOMING TIME

Extras for Cash Orders

These extras are offered, and apply only on orders received prior to March 1, 1929, and which have the full amount of cash enclosed to cover them. Orders for less than \$2.00 not accepted.

The extras are as follows:

5% in bulbs on cash orders from \$2.00 to \$5.00.

10% in bulbs on cash orders from \$5.00 to \$25.00.

15% in bulbs on cash orders from \$25.00 to \$50.00.

20% in bulbs on cash orders from \$50.00 to \$100.00.

Mother Machree cannot be included for discounts or extras.

The extra bulbs given as discounts will either be "Customer's choice" of any varieties listed by the dozen, or, when left to us, a larger count of the same varieties ordered will be given. The most generous treatment may be expected, as we always desire to give our customers a pleasant surprise along with their orders.

We make these liberal offers to induce you to order early, for during the winter months it costs us much less to fill the order ready for shipping than it does later during the "peak" or rush season. You also benefit by being able to get exactly the kinds you want before our stocks of many kinds are depleted or possibly entirely exhausted.

Garden Clubs, Park Boards, Large Estates, etc., interested in larger quantities of bulbs than here outlined, will kindly advise us early as to their requirements, and we will gladly submit special offers on any surplus stock we may have on hand.

Sizes of Bulbs

Different varieties and types vary in the size of the bulbs. Some varieties grow but a little over an inch for large sized bulbs while others grow much larger. Most of our varieties run in size from 1¼ inches to 1½ inches, except as noted.

LARGE, indicated by L., in connection with prices, will run mostly 1¼ and 1½ inches in diameter. None termed Large Blooming Size will run smaller than a strong 1 inch.

MEDIUM, indicated by M., will include bulbs from ¾ to 1¼ inches in diameter, and will average 1 inch. This size will bloom nicely the first season under normal conditions, but a little later than the larger sizes.

SMALL, indicated by S., is less than ¾ of an inch and will average ½ inch in diameter. Many of them will bloom first season if planted early, but are not so recommended. This size will produce most bulblets, and make a good blooming size bulb for the next year, if you can wait.

BULBLETS. For those who do not wish to buy high-priced bulbs and are willing to wait a year or two and want to grow their own so as to get them cheaper, a good way is to buy bulblets. Occasionally a variety will bloom from bulblets the first year, but it usually takes

two years to get a good bloom. But please understand that we cannot replace bulblets that do not grow. The bulblets of some varieties nearly all grow, but in most varieties one cannot depend on more than 75% or 80%, and in some kinds it takes expert treatment to make any germinate. On varieties that sell for \$1.00 and more each for large bulbs we are offering bulblets in our regular list, but in such varieties that are less than \$1.00 each we will supply bulblets in packages of 25c and 50c each. Although the bulblets in each package will not be counted, a very liberal amount of each will be given. In the listing bulblets will be indicated by Blbts.

Cultural Directions

Printed cultural directions compiled by the American Gladiolus Society will be furnished with each order.

Read Carefully Before Ordering

Send all orders early to enjoy the discounts and to insure your getting all of the varieties you want. All orders are filled in rotation as received and as stocks are of unequal quantities many of them are soon exhausted.

Please use the enclosed order blank for it helps us to accurately fill your order.

Remittance must accompany all orders. Cash in full to get the benefit of discounts on early orders, or a deposit of 25% of the amount of the order will hold it until March 15, 1929, with balance before shipment, or we will send C. O. D. for the balance.

Domestic remittance will be accepted by bank draft, personal check, postal or express money order. Please don't send postage stamps; we have no sale for stamps.

Claims for any shortage must be made immediately upon receipt of the bulbs.

Foreign Shipments except to Canada cannot be guaranteed for safe arrival due to possible delay in transit. We take especial care to send only well cured bulbs, well packed, and guaranteed frost-proof, and shipped in proper season for foreign planting condition.

Foreign remittances accepted in international drafts, postal or express money orders only in full value of American money exchange. Canadian customers will please be sure to give the number of their **import permit** to avoid delay.

Health Certificate. A certificate of inspection from our state entomologist will be attached to each package for any state or country where such is required.

All orders from this catalogue in an amount of \$2.00 or over will be sent by parcel post anywhere in the postal union prepaid. All orders from this catalogue for \$5.00 or over will be shipped **prepaid** and **insured** anywhere by express or parcel post.

Reference. Any commercial rating agency or by special permission refer to First National Bank, White Bear Lake, Minnesota.

Shipping dates. We begin to ship orders about March 1st for our north temperate zones. Orders for Southern States, Australia, New Zealand, Phillipine Islands, Japan, etc., will be packed frost-proof and shipped earlier to suit the customer.

Wholesale List for Growers and Dealers. We have many varieties in sufficient quantities to sell in lots of 1000 or more, and planting stock in much larger quantities that we offer at most reasonable prices. Our list of 175 varieties, including many rare novelties, is yours for the request. We also sell bulblets in large and small quantities. All stock guaranteed true to name and in best growing condition. Write now for our wholesale list. It will be to our mutual benefit that you have one if you buy in quantity.

The World's Finest for 1929

In the list which follows you will find only those varieties which may well be called "The World's Finest Glads!" None are old—every one is good.

We offer here many different varieties and types, many different kinds and prices, coming from all parts of the world, so that every taste and changing desire of the Gladiolus lover, from that of the beginner to that of the discriminating connoisseur may be satisfied.

Perhaps you will note the absence of any classed as "Anderson Originations"—and wonder why?

It is our conviction that many growers "hybridize" or "breed," then offer for sale many kinds which are usually very much over-rated and over-stated in almost every way.

That, we do not do!

We search the market places of the world for the best to be had from only the outstanding and foremost hybridizers wherever they may be found!

Thus we are assured that our collection is second to none, for the judgment of all those originators is at stake and their products must always be tried and proven before dissemination!

Were we to offer our own originations, it would be just our judgment of quality and merit against the judgment of the buyers of the world, one man's judgment against that of the millions.

We are glad to acknowledge the superiority of the multitude which have joined in the approval of the kinds we offer here, for there was never a truer maxim in business than "Fear not to buy that which the generality of men join in approving!"

New and better originations are offered each season. We make an effort to see as many of them as we can, and choose only those which show outstanding merit and value for our growing and offering to our friends. As quickly as stocks can be grown large enough for disseminating, we offer these rare treats to you, and we have no hesitancy in assuring you that there is nothing but pleasure and enjoyment to be found in any of the varieties you may select from us.

As they grow and bloom in your garden you will agree with our assertions that this is in truth,

"The Home of the WORLD'S FINEST GLADS!"

A Sure Tip

Among the 264 Glads listed in this catalogue there are some of the "Most Outstanding" of the **Rare** and more **Recent Introductions** from practically all parts of the world where famous new varieties are originated.

Some of these are now well known to many "Real Glad Fans," but some are not, I am sure. Let me, therefore, suggest that you look over the following List and make an **early selection** of what you want. Each of these varieties is "Unusual," either in coloring, in size, in beauty, and in many, all of these splendid characteristics are present. Some have a great future from the commercial point of view (Golden Dream, for instance).

If you wish the distinction of being the first among your group of Glad Friends to grow a Mother Machree, a Coryphee, a Miss Des Moines, a Dr. Moody, a Mary Frey, a Charles Lindbergh or any of the others in this list, do not delay placing your order, as there are not enough of some of them to go around.

If most of them are not **sold out** long before planting time, I miss my guess—if you miss out on some of these, keep them in mind and make it a point to see them somewhere during the next blooming season, and if you don't find each one a "Wonder" in its respective class, I am willing to admit that I don't know anything about Glads.

AFLAME
BETTY NUTHALL
CHARLES LINDBERGH
CORYPHEE
DR. MOODY
ELLA DAY
GOLDEN DREAM
HEAVENLY BLUE
HELEN PHIPPS
HELEN WILLS
HINEMOA
JANE ADDAMS
JOERG'S WHITE

LINCOLN ELLSWORTH
MADAM NORENA
MAMMOTH WHITE
MARMORA
MARY FREY
MISS DES MOINES
MOTHER MACHREE
MRS. CATHERINE EDWARDS
MRS. F. C. HORNBURGER
MRS. VAN KONYNENBURG
PEARL OF CALIFORNIA
PFITZER'S TRIUMPH
RUFFLED GOLD

MORAL "Order Early and Get Your Choice"



BREAK O' DAY

The above illustration will give some idea of the size and beauty of this variety. It is really one of the very finest Glads we have ever seen. Massive spikes with several flowers opening at a time. Blooming extra early, its soft LaFrance pink flowers will always be marketable at high prices. The pink is flushed over a cream ground and the shade is deeper at tips of petals. There is a zone of martius yellow on lower petals with delicate central lines of Brazil red. The most striking extra early variety ever produced.

Our 1929 Offerings

ADELINA PATTI (Keur)—Buds, nearly jet black, unfold into a beautiful royal purple. Upper petal shades to a lavender purple throat. Lower petals dusted yellow in throat. Straight, graceful spikes. Well arranged flowers which have a fine velvety appearance.

L. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00; M. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; S. doz., 80c

ADMIRATION (Kunderd)—Fine, tall plant. Almost perfect "America" pink shade with large, light violet-rose throat. Distinct and fine.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 75c; S. doz., 40c

ADORATION (Kunderd)—Large, grand saffron or Lincoln red. Deeper in throat. A grand and beautiful self-color.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c

A. E. KUNDERD (Kunderd)—A very strongly ruffled variety, tall and stately. A rapid multiplier. Rich salmon-rose, lighter throat with beautiful markings.

L. each, \$1.50; M. each, \$1.00; S. each, 50c

AFLAME (Hornberger)—The colossus of the Prim-Grand type, a real giant in size, the largest flower on exhibition, 1927, at New Bedford, Mass. Glad Show where it exceeded Mrs. Leon Douglas in size and was a prize winner, as well as at Hartford, Conn. For all its gigantic size it has all the grace and beauty of the primulinus types. In a letter from Mr. Charles E. F. Gersdorff, dated January 7, 1928, he said. "'Aflame' ought to be very popular with our Australian friends. It sure is a topnotcher."

L. each, \$3.00; M. each, \$1.50; S. each, 75c

ALICE TIPLADY (Kunderd)—A grand, large primulinus of beautiful orange-saffron color.....

L. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 30c

ALLEN V. BUNCE (Bill)—Livid orange-yellow with clear central lines of deep claret. Large, well expanded winged flowers, gracefully placed on wiry stalks. This variety was the sensation of the exhibit at the Rochester Exposition in 1922.....

L. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00; M. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; S. doz., 80c

ALMA GLUCK (L. Merton Gage)—A primulinus hybrid of brilliant peach red with rich yellow throat markings. Distinct and fine for cutting.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

ALTON (Kunderd)—A good ruffled variety of finest orange color.

L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20; M. doz., 70c; S. doz., 40c

ANNIE LAURIE (Brown)—Ruffled delicate pink overlaid with light rose-pink toward edge. Light purplish lines in the throat. Very dainty and beautiful. One of the best commercial varieties put out in some time.

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50

ANNA EBERIUS (Diener)—Deep rhodamine purple, shading into very deep bordeaux centers.....

L. 3 for 25c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c

ANTIOCH (Metzner)—Light salmon, shading to pale orange in throat; tall growing, fine color, large open flower; a general favorite....

L. each, 25c; M. 2 for 25c

ARABIA (Hinkle)—Arabia has a long spike with many flowers of extremely dark mahogany red, almost black, the buds appearing perfectly black. Although the darkest of all, it retains brilliancy and sheen and is very rich in texture.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 65c

ARBUTUS (Coleman)—Beautiful arbutus pink, medium in height.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 80c

BARON J. HULOT (Lemoine)—Dark violet bordering blue.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c

- BENGAL TIGER** (Pratt)—In color and stripes it looks just like its name. Nature was bountiful in her coloring when creating this flower. A good grower, and for a novelty in the garden is excellent.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50
- BETTY JOY** (Bill)—Won honorable mention at Rochester A. G. S. Show as a commercial cut flower variety. Soft, creamy white, flushed LaFrance pink. Strong grower, long flower spikes with 6 to 10 perfect flowers opening at a time. Rated 97% as a commercial flower by Gersdorff.
L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. doz., \$3.00
- BETTY NUTHALL** (Salbach)—The plants of this wonderful variety are tall and vigorous in growth. The flower spikes are long and graceful, carrying from six to eight large, well expanded blooms open at one time. Some blooms have measured six inches across. The color is a warm light coral, with pale orange throat markings and light feathering of carmine. It is a good increaser, the large bulbs usually produce from two to three separate stalks.
L. each, \$7.50; S. each, \$2.50; Blbts. 3 for \$1.00
- B. L. SMITH** (Kunderd)—A refined gladiolus of lavender-pink on a white ground; a fine cut flower. Color equal to a choice cattleya orchid.
L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c
- BLUE JAY** (Groff)—Bluish lavender, shading lighter in throat. Lower petals have a pansy purple blotch tipped in cream. Spike slightly curved but graceful. Many flowers open at one time.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- BLUE ORCHID** (Kunderd)—Rich self-violet blue, black blotch, with golden heart on lower petals.....M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- BLUE RIBBON** (Kunderd)—A grand dark violet blue, almost self-color. Large flower, five to six open at a time. Unusual.
L. each, 40c; doz., \$4.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50
- BLUE TORCH** (Hornberger)—Colored similar to Rev. Ewbank, but larger, taller and has a straight spike. Fine commercial blue.
L. each, 35c; doz., \$3.50; M. 2 for 35c
- BLUSHING BEAUTY** (Kunderd)—Opening buds blush pink, flowers softest blush with dainty pink throat lines—many open. A dainty and refined ruffled variety.....L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- BREAK O' DAY** (Bill)—Very early. Large, soft LaFrance pink, flushed over with deeper pink at edges. Zone of yellow on lower petal. A fast propagator.
L. 2 for 32c; doz., \$1.60; M. doz., 90c; S. doz., 50c
- BRIDAL VEIL** (Austin)—Open buds show tints of green fading to pure white as the bloom opens. Large, heavily ruffled; well placed on straight spike. Good height, strong growth.....L. each, \$1.50
- BUTTERBOY** (Kunderd)—A tall, strong plant with giant bulb. Large buttercup yellow flowers, nicely spaced on spike. A distinct and showy primulinus variety of much merit.....L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c
- CABERNET** (Metzner)—A blending of maroon and blue purple; making a rich tone of wine color. Exceptionally large flowers, well placed and many open. Extra tall spikes.....L. each, \$3.00; M. each, \$2.00
- CAPTAIN BOYNTON** (Boynton)—One of the nicest lavender colors in existence, with little darker spot on lower petals. Large flowers, well placed on stems. A beauty.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- CARA MIA** (Miller)—Exquisite clear pink of tall strong growth and very early. A wonderful new commercial variety.....L. each, \$5.00; M. each, \$2.50
- CARDINAL PRINCE** (Kunderd)—Magnificent self-colored cardinal. Flowers large and of splendid form and placement, six to eight open at a time. A good, tall plant and an A-1 cardinal.
L. each, 35c; doz., \$3.50; M. doz., \$2.00; S. doz., \$1.20



CARMEN SYLVA

CARMEN SYLVA (Prestgard)—Pure snow white, throat slightly penciled lilac, almost a self-color; stem tall, slender and wiry, always straight, excellent for cutting and one of the best whites for the price.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00
M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c

CATHERINE COLEMAN (Coleman)—Tall grower, carries many buds correctly set, which expand into wonderful flowers of a rich coral pink with slight American Beauty marking in throat which does not detract from the color, but enhances it. It is in a class by itself.

L. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00
M. 2 for 32c; doz., \$1.60; S. doz., \$1.00

CHALLENGER (Kunderd)—Large and vigorous plant. Giant dark rich velvety red, solid colored flowers.....

L. 2 for 28c; doz., \$1.50
M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

CHARLES LINDBERGH (Prestgard)—This is one of the aristocrats in the glad family. Color clear hermosa pink with large naphtalene yellow, almost white, blotch in the throat. Very large flowers, of good texture and striking beauty. Stem exceptionally tall and wiry and a strong grower.....

L. each, \$5.00

CHARLES DICKENS (Pfitzer)—Bright reddish-violet. Very long spikes. A good one. First Class Certificate.....

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00
M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50

CLEOPATRA (Bill)—Ruffled. Very deep yellow. Large, massive spikes. Heavy substance. Created a sensation at the Rochester Exposition. Rated 98% as an exhibition variety by Gersdorff.....

L. each, \$1.00; doz., \$10.00
M. each, 60c; doz., \$6.00

COPPER BRONZE (Kunderd)—A very striking copper-bronze color. Large flowers. Graceful in appearance as a vase flower. Unusual.

L. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00
M. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50

COPPER QUEEN (Metzner)—A wonderful blending of old rose and bright copper. Rich, new color tints; wide open flowers 6 inches in diameter, well placed on a tall, graceful spike.

L each, \$5.00

CORYPHEE (Pfitzer)—A masterpiece in gladioli. Very tall spike with 8 to 10 immense round, well formed flowers open at once. Soft rose-pink, same color as the inside of a fresh cut Ophelia rose. One Glad fan says this beautiful, waxy pink is found in some orchids, such as *Miltonia*. This very fine Glad deserves a place in the collection of every connoisseur.

L. each, \$7.00; M. each, \$4.00

COWEE'S SCARLET WONDER (Groff)—A fine red, flowers very large, 3 and 4 open, well placed on strong spike, stem always straight. Color brilliant, glowing crimson-scarlet, self-color, practically without streaks or marks, sometimes shows touch of light cream on lower petal. The form of the spike is perfect for florists' use, but is listed as exhibition as well, because of its remarkable color and size.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

CREATORE (Bill)—With ordinary field cultivation the first flowers of this wonderful Glad frequently measure 7 inches across. Robust, imposing and wonderfully thick substantial petals make it an extraordinary acquisition. Produces tall, strong spikes with 16 to 18 buds about mid-season. It is a clear self-color, Rose doree with a throat line of carmine red. It creates a sensation wherever shown.....L. each, \$2.50; M. each, \$1.50; S. each, \$1.00

CRINKLES (Kunderd)—Deep peach blossom pink. Intensely ruffled.

M. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50

CROWN OF GOLD (Bill)—Pure straw yellow, tall, large flowers placed in a single row. Frequently 10 to 12 flowers open at once. One spike on exhibition at the A. G. S. Show in Rochester, 1925, made a hit with those who know Glads.

L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.00

DIANA (Zeestraten)—Good shade of deep rich mellow blood red. This variety has every good quality that goes toward the making of a high-grade gladiolus.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c

DIENER'S AMERICAN BEAUTY (Diener)—Brilliant American Beauty color, prominent cream yellow throat. Flower large and well placed. Many open at one time.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

DOROTHY WHEELER (Kunderd)—Named by Fairbanks. Tall plant, very large and massive flowers of richest rose pink with lighter throat. A beautiful vase variety.....L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c

DR. CHRIST MARTZ (Kunderd)—A large and beautiful flower of light blood-red. A very showy ruffled variety.....L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50

DR. ELKINS (Kunderd)—A true sport from "Mrs. Frank Pendleton." Same large and showy flower, but the original rose-pink has changed to a white and the large throat blotches to a fine shade of lilac blue.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

DR. F. E. BENNETT (Diener)—Deep peach red overlaid with flame scarlet. Lip speckled ruby and white, very fiery red. Flowers of the very largest size with many opening at once. Exceptionally well placed on the stem.

L. each, 20c; doz., \$2.00; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20; S. doz., 70c

DR. J. H. NEELEY (Kunderd)—Tall, massive plant. Very large and refined flower of finest blushed white. Throat clear and clean, pure soft white, tinted softest light canary-yellow or cream. A grand variety.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

**DR. MOODY**

DR. MOODY (Kinyon)—A new lavender that won Award of Merit at the 1927 Boston Glad Show. Rather early for so large and fine a Glad. Strong grower. Bulblets germinate easily and make good growth. L. each, \$5.00; M. each, \$2.50 S. each, \$1.25; Bibts. each, 50c

DR. NELSON SHOOK (Kunderd)—A large plant and flower. Color of deep tyrian rose. This fine variety has been awarded a first prize and has attracted much attention.

L. each, 75c; M. each, 50c
S. each, 30c

DUCHESS OF YORK (Dames)

—Seedling of "Baron Jos. Hulot," also an improvement of same. Much larger flowers of a beautiful purple blue color. Erect stems, vigorous growth and firm substance of flower. Also, it multiplies very rapidly.

M. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00
S. doz., 50c

E. B. WILLIAMSON (Kunderd)

—Color a deep mallow purple or Tyrian pink. An unusual and attractive color. A good florist's variety.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00
M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

ED. SPRINGER (Kunderd)—

Strong, fine plant, showy flowers of light lavender rose-pink. Outer edges of petals of stronger rose-pink color somewhat flaked. Lower petals have fine rose-red markings, bordered and tinted white. L. each, 40c; doz., \$4.00

M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50
S. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50

ELIZABETH SWARTLEY (Swartley)—

A lighter shade of 1910 Rose with almost white throat. Has 1910 Rose habits and should prove to be a comer in the commercial field. L. each, 50c

M. each, 25c; S. 2 for 30c

ELIZABETH TABOR (Hinkle)—Very early and choice. In strong demand as a commercial variety. Pink with conspicuous carmine blotch. Seedling of Pendleton. L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

ELLA DAY (Carpenter)—Very large LaFrance pink, with red and yellow throat. Makes a great show. Quite early, and really very good. L. each, \$5.00

- EMILE AUBRUN** (Lemoine)—Enormous round flowers, 8-10 open. Coppery-bronze with prominent cherry eye. Magnificent, tall spike; one of the finest show varieties.....L. each, 50c; M. each, 30c
- ENIGMA** (Kunderd)—Tall plant with large flowers. Strikingly striped red, white and blue. Is all that the name implies.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c
- EUGENE LE FEBVRE** (Lemoine)—A wonderful large French variety. Deep pink with throat dotted purplish amaranth and cream. Very good. Wherever shown in basket, always wins first prize.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- EVELYN KIRTLAND** (Austin)—A large, wide open flower of rose-pink in center with brilliant scarlet blotch on lower petals. Spikes long and graceful. One of the most beautiful pink varieties.
L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c
- FAIRLAND** (Kunderd)—Large, well expanded flower, on tall spike. Vermillion scarlet, lighter toward center. Lower petals very beautifully blotched, good shade of deep red.....L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c
- FAY LANPHIER** (Williams)—Large; of coral luster with cerise blending. It is distinct in type, color and pose. Worthy of a place in the finest collection.
L. 2 for 38c; doz., \$2.00; M. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 50c
- FERN KYLE** (Kunderd)—Large ruffled flower of finest creamy white color, a very fine Glad in this class.....L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20; M. doz., 75c; S. doz., 40c
- FLAMING SWORD** (Holland)—Very tall, straight spike with 10 and more well-set flowers open at a time; beautiful, brilliant red, slightly overlaid with orange, a splendid flower, very early.
L. 2 for 38c; doz., \$2.00; M. doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 50c
- FRANK M. SHICK** (Salbach)—This is a very lovely gladiolus. The blooms are of good size and are clear geranium pink except the soft cream throat markings. From eight to ten well placed blooms open at one time.
L. each, \$3.00; M. each, \$2.00
- FREDERICK CHRIST** (Diener)—Very large flowers of delicate LaFrance pink, canary throat, a beautiful color combination. Long flower spike with many open.....L. each, \$6.00; M. each, \$1.00; S. each, \$2.50; Blbts. each, 60c
- GERTRUDE ERREY** (Errey Bros.)—Long, graceful spikes of shell pink flowers that shade almost white at center, spot of deeper color in throat. Many open, tip bud blooming as well in water as the first. A lovely thing..L. ea., 50c
- GIANT MYRTLE** (Kunderd)—Large, soft delicate pink, blending to white towards the center. Somewhat difficult to grow, but will respond to good treatment and should be in every high-class collection.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c
- GIANT NYMPH** (Coleman)—Immense rose-pink flowers with creamy yellow throats borne on tall, erect stems. Fine. The supply is never equal to the demand for this wonderful variety.
L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

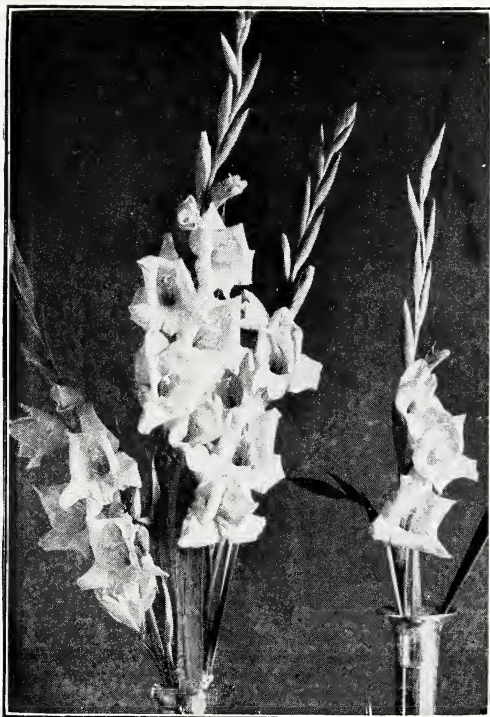
GLADDIE BOY (Bill)—It is of the semi-primulinus type, retaining the delicate characteristic coloring but in form more massive. Flowers are well expanded with only slight hooding effect. Spikes have 18 to 20 buds and opening 6 to 8 perfect flowers at a time. The color is distinctive, the general effect being a grenadine pink, gradually blending with straw yellow, deeper in the center. To further enhance its beauty, the petals are most gracefully frilled.

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. doz., \$2.50; S. doz., \$1.25

GLENDALE (W. B. Davis)—A trifle darker than American Beauty rose. Unusually good on account of its strength and long keeping qualities.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c

GLORIANA (Betscher)—Exquisite pure salmon, shading to a golden throat. No markings whatever. The blooms do not open widely. A basket of this variety is never forgotten. Extra fine.....L. each, 50c



GOLD EAGLE

GOLD (Hoeg)—Pure golden yellow, throat a shade deeper, slightly dotted and streaked, almost self-color. Large flowers, many open at a time and perfectly placed.

L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00
M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c

GOLD EAGLE (Austin)—A yellow that is an advancement in the gladiolus world. The blooms, which are of good size, are a deep, rich yellow, beautifully ruffled, and of strong substance. It is early and thus especially valuable for cutting, and the spike, always straight, is slender and easy to handle.

L. each, 60c; doz., \$6.00
M. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00
S. doz., \$1.50

GOLDEN BUTTERFLY (Kunderd)—Canary yellow color. Lower petals deeper yellow, faintly blushed on outside of upper petals. Very wide open.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50
M. doz., 75c; S. doz., 40c

GOLDEN FRILLS (Kunderd)—A large and open flower. Deep rich daffodil yellow, with slight pink lines on lower petals. Intensely ruffled and very choice.

L. each, \$1.00; M. each, 50c

**GOLDEN DREAM**

GOLDEN DREAM (Groff)—A sensational new variety and the best yellow in commerce. Has the height, strength and habit of Golden Measure, with the heavy, thick petal of that variety. Clear, deep yellow of the same shade as the Holland prim Souvenir. An occasional flower will show a decided hood, especially from a young bulb, but at its best this variety is strictly in a class by itself. The flowers do not open wide, but are of unique and most attractive form with all petals uniformly and evenly rolled back, 5 to 6 open at a time. Golden Dream was awarded first prize for the best yellow again this year. It also carried away the sweepstakes for the best vase of six spikes of any color, which was the highest honor given at the Minnesota State Fair in 1926 to any variety. This very fine Glad is worthy of a place in the finest collections.

L. each, \$1.00; doz., \$10.00

M. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00

S. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50

GOLDEN MEASURE (Kelway)—

A large, fine yellow, self-color, well-formed flower spike, tall and strong.....L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25

GOLDEN SALMON (Kunderd)—

A truly wonderful, ruffled gladiolus of beautiful golden yellow and salmon-red or pink shades, beautifully blended. An extra choice and distinct kind. UnusualL. each, 50c



GOLDEN SWALLOW

GOLDEN SWALLOW (Austin)—A beautiful clear soft yellow with no throat markings. Petals are finely ruffled, giving the blooms an artistic effect. One of the most beautiful types offered. Lovely when massed.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50

M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

GOLIATH (Velthuys)—Deep purplish wine color, nearly same color as "Empress of India," but much larger and stronger grower..L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50

M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

GOSHEN (Kunderd)—A fine Pendleton seedling of medium deep silvery rose-pink color. Large, showy rose-red blotches. A very good gladiolus.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c
S. doz., 40c

HALCYON (Bill)—A very strong grower, always straight, and throwing flower spikes with 18 to 24 buds. Unusual in the length of the flower head and it opens 6 to 8 large flowers at a time. Regular arrangement of flowers on the stem, spacing perfect. A beautiful soft rose-pink, shading deeper toward the petal tips. Ideal exhibition and florist type.....L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00

M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; S. doz., \$1.25

HEAVENLY BLUE (Pfützer)—Heliotrope-lilac; a wonderful, pleasing, soft blue color. Very long spike with 10 to 12 flowers open. Several first class certificates.....L. each, \$7.50

M. each, \$5.00; S. each, \$3.00

HELEN HOWARD (Austin)—Beautiful golden buff, flushed coral. Splendid spike and form. Wonderful propagator, and a very strong grower. An outstanding variety.

L. each, \$1.00; M. each, 50c; S. each, 25c

HELEN PHIPPS (Phipps)—A very good spike of slightly deeper pink than W. H. Phipps; a strong grower with ten or more large blooms open at a time.

L. each, \$3.00; M. each, \$2.00; S. each, \$1.00

HELEN WILLS (Salbach)—A very elegant, clean, large white, shading to soft canary on lower petals. Tall, vigorous and of wonderful substance. Six to eight blooms open at one time. Splendid forcing variety. A rapid propagator.

L. each, \$2.50; M. each, \$1.50; S. each, 75c

HENRY FORD (Diener)—A very dark rhodamine purple, shading into deeper tones near the center. Color very clear like Anna Eberius, but much larger and clearer.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

- HERADA** (Austin)—A beautiful, large, glistening mauve. The blooms are well placed on good, straight spikes.....L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c
- HINEMOA** (New Zealand)—Strikingly distinctive in appearance. A deep pink ground color is flaked with dark chocolate crimson, a large, clean-cut, clear yellow blotch standing out in strong contrast. Immense wide-winged flowers, about six open at a time, as a rule.....L. each, \$2.50
- HOOSIER** (Kunderd)—A large flower of fine salmon rose. Throat blotches as in "Mrs. Frank Pendleton." Color of blotches, violet maroon.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50
- IMMENSITY** (Kunderd)—Tall, strong plant. Bright salmon color. Very large flowers and many open at a time.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz. 80c; S. doz., 40c
- INDIAN MAID** (Kunderd)—Tall, strong plant and fine stem. Flowers of beautiful peach-blossom pink with beautiful deeper throat.
L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c
- IWA** (Betscher)—Pink, with dark throat, one of the best blotched varieties. Vigor without coarseness.....L. each, 30c; M. 2 for 35c; S. 3 for 30c
- J. A. CARBONE** (Diener)—Orange salmon, very iridescent, darker shading toward the outer edge of the petals. Yellow center. Fine, long, well built spikes.
L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- JACK LONDON** (Diener)—Light salmon with vermillion stripes. Canary yellow throat with ruby stripes. It is perfect in every way. As a cut flower it is a most profitable variety.
L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c
- JACOBA VAN BEYEREN** (Van Deursen)—A unique violet self-color on erect stem, many well arranged flowers open at a time. Highly recommended.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- JANE ADDAMS** (Prestgard)—This very large, new Glad is of a soft phlox pink color with a white throat but it belongs rightfully in the lavender class. Very attractive and a good multiplier.
L. each, \$1.00; doz., \$10.00; M. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00
- JAP LADY** (Prestgard)—Bishop purple, velvety blackish purple blotch in the throat. A unique and very attractive color. Extra fine in a vase with whites or yellows.....L. each, 25c
- JENNY LIND** (Hoeg)—Pure soft apricot-pink, throat pale yellow, the two colors blending to perfection. Many blooms open at one time. This is an exceedingly refined and attractive variety.
L. 2 for 40c; doz., \$2.00; M. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00
- JEWEL** (C. Zeestraten)—A daintily beautiful primulinus of clear salmon-pink with golden yellow throat....L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c



JOERG'S WHITE

JOERG'S WHITE (Joerg)—One of the largest and finest pure white gladiolus. Five petals in each flower show no other color whatsoever. The lower petal shades to a creamy yellow in the throat, with light crimson veinings.

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00

M. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00

S. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50

JOERG'S YELLOW PRIM (Joerg)—A distinct primulinus. One of the best yellows. This plant throws up a flower spike 5 feet high, with 12 to 18 large, pure yellow flowers, with just one faint crimson mid-rib on the lower petal.

L. each, \$1.00

JOHN TOLAND (Salbach) — Begonia rose, with a large deep oxblood red blotch on the lower petals. Very striking and beautiful. Fine propagator.

L. each, \$1.00; M. each, 75c

S. each, 50c; Blbts. 15 for \$1.00

JOHN T. PIRIE (Kunderd)—An exceptionally colored variety and very beautiful. A sort of mahogany brown with remarkable yellow bordered dark mahogany brown throat. In a class by itself and should be in every collection.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50

M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 60c

JOY (Kunderd)—Purest flesh color with daintily tinted soft canary or cream throat, finely marked pink.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00

M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

JUNIATA (Kemp)—A gladiolus of charm and beauty. The three lower petals are creamy white shading to LaFrance pink, flaked with begonia rose. The wide open flowers are borne on straight stalks and four and five open at a time. Has been awarded many prizes.....

L. each, \$1.50

M. each, \$1.00; S. each, 60c

Blbts. 12 for \$1.50

KATHERINE F. HESS (Diener)—Geranium pink, showing shadings of flame, lighter toward the center. Very large flowers and long spikes. Fine grower. A beautiful variety.....

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

KING OF THE BLUES (Gruellemans)—Deep purple blue without markings.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; Blbts. pkg., 40c

KIRCHHOFF'S NEW VIOLET (Kirchhoff)—A good violet with deeper purple throat markings. Early.

L. each, 50c; M. each, 30c; S. 2 for 30c; Blbts. 10 for 40c

KIRCHHOFF'S VIOLET (Kirchhoff)—A good violet with deeper purple throat markings.....

L. each, 40c; M. each, 25c; S. 2 for 25c; Blbts. 10 for 25c

KUNDERD'S APPLE BLOSSOM (Kunderd)—Very attractive apple blossom pink, tall, straight spike, many large flowers open at a time.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

LACINATUS (Kunderd)—It is distinct in that its petals are lacinated or fringed, giving it a very artistic appearance. "Lacinatus" is a rapid multiplier and prolific seed producer. Color a beautiful shade of old rose. The spike is slender and graceful.....M. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 50c

LA COURONNE (Lemoine)—Creamy yellow, lower petals shading to deep yellow at the base, blotched and stippled brilliant scarlet. A very distinct new variety. A showy and very pleasing blotched variety. Very early.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; Blbts. pkg., 40c

LAVENDER PRINCESS (Williams)—A beautifully tinted lavender with cerise marking in the throat. It has an orchid resemblance. Should be grown in every garden....L. 2 for 38c; doz., \$2.00; M. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 50c

LE CYGNE (Houdyshel)—A seedling of Europe crossed with a strong growing primulinus grandiflora. The flower is of a beautiful snow white, of large size and good substance. This fine variety is destined to become a leading commercial white.....L. each, \$5.00; Blbts. each, 50c

LEOTA (Coleman)—Geranium-pink, suffused rose-doree; throat creamy white blotched amaranth-pink. Large, wide-open flowers of good substance and form and the color is exceptionally pleasing.

L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

LILAC WONDER (Europe)—A beautiful shade of pure light lavender, tall, straight spike, flowers well placed, one of the nicest shades we have ever seen; extra good multiplier....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

LILLIAN HARRIS COFFIN (Diener)—Good cut flower variety. Shrimp-pink overlaid with peach. Lower petals lemon yellow with dashes of ruby. Very fine long spikes.....L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25

LILY WHITE (Kunderd)—A clear white which is particularly fine for cutting; has a nice formed flower spike, many open. A splendid florist variety.

L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c

LINCOLN ELLSWORTH (Prestgard)—This is one of the giants of the Glad tribe. Immense white flowers of robust substance. Throat streaked and dusted purple and tips of petals usually flaked with the same color. Many flowers open at one time, forming a real bouquet by itself, borne on a very tall and strong stem. A very robust grower and a real grand new white.

L. each, \$2.00

LOA LUVERNE (Kunderd)—Finely tinted pink, lower petals of same color with beautiful bar running through, conspicuous and beautifully penciled throat blotches. Extra tall and stately plant.

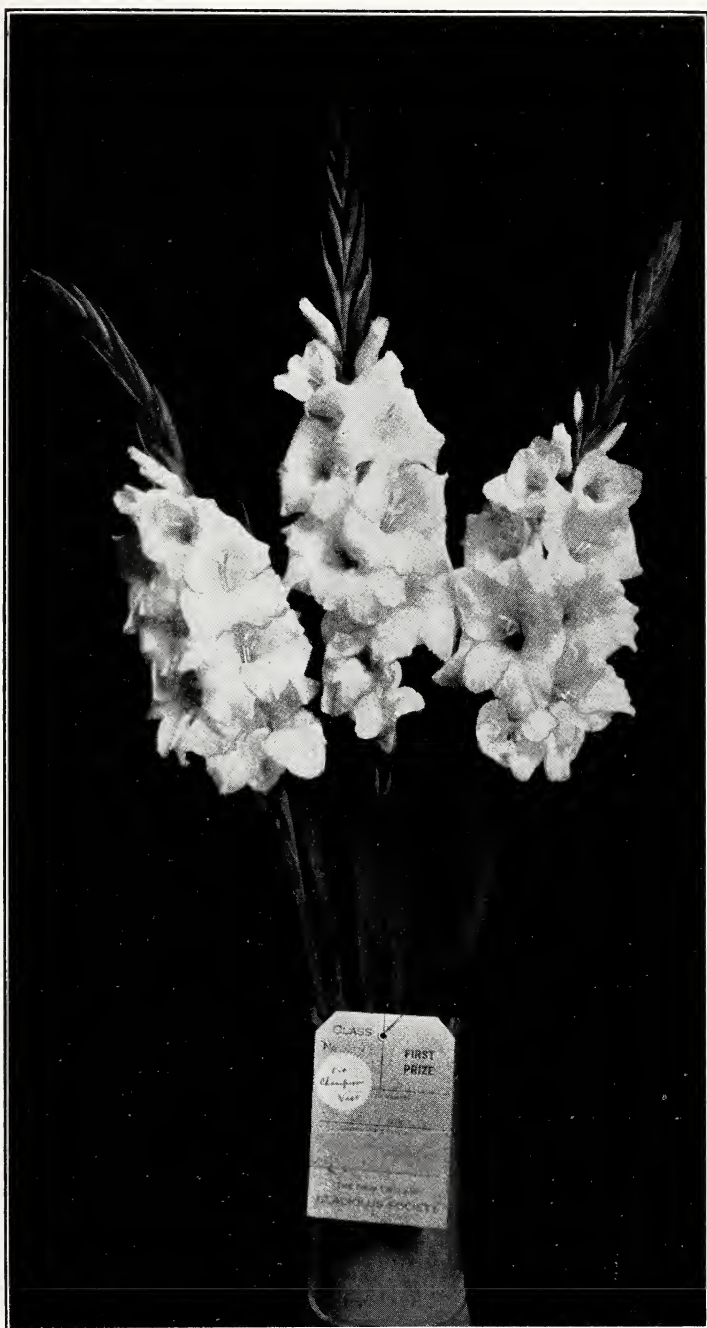
L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

LONGFELLOW (Prestgard)—This stately Glad has made a great hit the few years it has been out. It has won a place as one of the very finest pink varieties of recent introductions. It is a Carmen Sylva seedling and has the same tall, slender, wiry stem as its parent, never crooked. Color, a lovely LaFrance pink. Flowers large, wide open, of good form and perfectly arranged on the spike, and with up to eight blooms open at one time it is a sight to behold.....L. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00; M. doz., \$1.50

LOS ANGELES (Houdyshel)—A charming variety. Shrimp pink, tinted orange, with an orange tinted carmine stripe in throat. But most valuable of all is its "Cut-and-come-again" quality. After the first spike is cut, another will spring from the same stalk, possibly not quite so long, yet very fine. We have had several from one plant. Something unusual, and a fine thing as a cut flower.....L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 30c

- LOUISE** (Wright)—Large, well opened orchid-like flower. The color is an attractive bright blue lavender, with wine-colored blotch in throat. One of the finest lavenders.....M. doz., 50c
- LOYALTY** (Austin)—A magnificent, new mid-season bloomer, having large, heavily ruffled blooms of deep golden yellow with tall spike and massive growth.....L. each, \$2.00
- MADAM MONET SULLY** (Lemoine)—Ivory white with carmine blotch. A very attractive variety.....L. each, 35c; doz., \$3.50; M. doz., \$2.00
- MADAM NORENA** (Prestgard)—Very light flesh pink, almost white, splashed with deeper pink at edges. Throat very rich, clear barium yellow, the two delicate colors blending harmoniously, making an exceptionally pleasing combination. Wide open flowers of good substance and beautifully ruffled edges. Many open and perfectly arranged. One of the finest of later years' creations. Quite early; a strong grower and good multiplier.....L. each, \$2.00; no Blbts.
- MAINE** (Vos)—Pure glistening white without a blemish except for very faint lavender featherings in throat. Tall, straight spikes. Flowers well open and of good substance.....L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 30c
- MAJESTIC** (Hopman)—Beautiful orange-salmon on pink, slight white markings on lower petals. Large flowers, fine for cutting.
L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- MAMMOTH WHITE** (U. B. Co.)—This variety well deserves its name. It is not only pure white, but is one of the very largest we have ever seen, the flowers measuring six and seven inches without distorting the petals and many open at the time. This wonderful flower grows on a straight spike, at least four feet tall, and its coloring is pure paper white, or that of the Paper White Narcissus. It will be a valuable addition to the collection of aristocrats in your garden.....L. each, \$10.00; S. each, \$5.00; No Blbts.
- MARIAN KOCH** (Austin)—A strikingly artistic variety, its petals being rolled with tips twisted to sharp points. Color deep pink at tips, shading to almost white at center and creamy blotch on lower petals. Largest blooms 5 inches from tip to tip. Strong substance, many open, straight and graceful.
L. each, \$1.50
- MARIE KUNDERD** (Kunderd)—A wonderful white. As early as "Chicago White." Of purest white with an almost invisible soft pink line in center of lower petals. One of the finest early whites in existence.
L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c
- MARIETTA** (Metzner)—A delicate shade of light salmon, beautifully blended with light orange, the lower petals shading to a bright burnt orange. A marvelous gladiolus of extra large size and splendid spike. Always admired. This beauty is rated by the eminent gladiolus expert, Mr. Chas. E. F. Gersdorff, as follows: Exhibition 97%, commercial 95% out of a possible 100%. We believe his judgment is endorsed by every one who has purchased Marietta.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- MARMORA** (Errey Bros.)—This is a truly wonderful variety, and has created quite a sensation wherever shown. The color is a silvery lavender, with petunia colored blotch. The blooms are exceptionally large, and are perfectly placed on splendid spikes showing up to fourteen flowers open at a time. Taking into account the remarkable color, perfect flower and spike and general all round quality, we consider this one of the most valuable varieties ever introduced.....L. each, \$2.50; no Blbts.
- MARNIA** (Kemp)—Pure live golden orange. The best variety in the color that can be sold at a moderate price.
L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25

- MARSHAL FOCH** (Kunderd)—Many giant flowers open at one time on very strong stem and plant. Color of finest salmon pink, flowers slightly ruffled.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- MARY FREY** (Gelser Bros.)—Beautiful lavender-pink with a ruby blotch on lower petal; resembles a cattleya orchid in color. Flowers large, perfectly placed on long, straight, slender stem, with 6 to 9 florets of lasting quality open at a time. Blooms early, vigorous grower and very prolific. It will be grown by the millions as soon as stock is available.
L. each, \$6.00; M. each, \$4.00; S. each, \$2.00; Bibts. each, 50c
- MARY PICKFORD** (Kunderd)—An extraordinary beautiful flower of most delicate creamy white, with fine silt sulphur yellow throat.
L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c
- MARY STEARNS BURKE** (Diener)—Canary yellow, overlaid with apricot and tinged with rose. Deep canary center with ruby throat. Long spikes with flowers symmetrically placed; stem wiry and upright. Large flowers. It is one of the finest yellows. Very valuable as a cut flower variety.
L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c
- MASTERPIECE** (Kunderd)—A magnificent ruffled "American Beauty" rose color. Giant flower and plant. Extremely fine.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c
- MAURICE FULD** (L. Merton Gage)—Large, well expanded flowers of rich doree with blotch of Tyrian rose on pure white throat. Very striking.
L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; S. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25
- MILADY IMOGENE** (Austin)—The florist's white. With the exception of tiny dots at base of petals and lavender anthers, this is a very clear pure white. Its blooms, which measure not over four inches in diameter, are daintily frilled and well placed on a slender, very pliable spike. Especially adapted for florists' use.....L. each, \$1.50; M. each, \$1.00; S. each, 50c
- MING TOY** (Kunderd)—Very large flowers of finest form; showy, deep buff yellow throat; tall plant. Creates a sensation wherever shown.
L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 50c; S. doz., 25c
- MINUET** (Coleman)—Large, clear, delicate lavender; of unusual vigor and good substance. It won the Silver Metal at the International Glad Show in Canada. We received first prize for the best single spike at the 1926 Minnesota State Fair.....L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.50; S. each, \$1.00; Bibts. 10 for \$1.00
- MISS DES MOINES** (Prestgard)—Won the \$100.00 Sisson prize at Des Moines, 1926, for best new variety. Color pale lilac, shading to listeran purple toward the edges of petals. Throat light marguerite-yellow. Tall, erect, wiry stem, on which the blossoms are well placed and spaced. Good, healthy grower.
L. each, \$25.00; M. each, \$12.50
- MISS MADISON** (Boynton)—A fine, dainty pink, overlaid on white, without markings.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c
- MOTHER MACHREE** (Stevens)—Vinaceous lavender, somewhat overlaid towards edges of petals with a sort of salmon pink. A difficult color to describe but very beautiful. Might be called smoky but is miles ahead of any other smoky gladiolus in existence. 6 to 8 or more large perfectly placed blooms open at a time. This variety won First for best seedling at the Hartford Show in 1927. People rave over Mother Machree. The spike is tall and straight. A distinct novelty that will be wanted by all Glad fans.
L. each, \$100.00; M. each, \$60.00. These prices absolutely net; no special discount can be allowed. No Bibts.
- MR. A. H. HYDE** (Diener)—Snow white with blush pink trace throughout. Finely built spikes. Excellent cut flower variety.
L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c



MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER

MRS. ARTHUR MEEKER (Kunderd)—Exceptionally fine, rich, deep American Beauty rose color. A very beautiful and unusual color.

L. 2 for 28c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

MRS. CATHERINE EDWARDS (Hornberger)—This very fine Glad is pure white with a cream throat. The flowers are very large and many florets open at once on a tall spike. Extremely beautiful.

L. each, \$75.00; M. each, \$50.00; S. each, \$25.00; Blbts. each, \$5.00

MRS. DR. NORTON (Kunderd)—Finest cream and pink. Large wide-open flowers that grow on tall stems; very graceful. L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c

MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER (Hornberger)—A most beautiful pure white without markings. Tall grower, many large flowers open at a time. The best commercial white in sight. Glads come and go, but this variety has come to stay. It is strong, sturdy and vigorous.

L. each, \$1.00; doz., \$10.00; M. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; S. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50

MRS. F. C. PETERS (Fisher)—The color is a beautiful shade of rose lilac, with crimson blotch, bordered white on lower petals; resembling an orchid in color. Flowers are of large size, and many open at a time, on a strong, perfectly straight spike.....L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

MRS. J. K. ARMSBY (Diener)—Coral pink, delicately penciled with vermilion near the edges. Throat cream, speckled with ruby. Flowers very large, a great many opening at one time, and of great lasting quality.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 75c

MRS. JOHN R. WALSH (Diener)—Heavily ruffled, flesh pink. Three lower petals of flame shading into dark ruby at the throat. Flowers are very large. This is a seedling of Mrs. Pendleton, Jr. It is a magnificent variety that should be in every collection.....L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.00; M. doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 50c

MRS. JOHN S. WOODS (Metzner)—One of the largest and tallest gladioli grown. Deep salmon pink, shading to coral pink. Flaked scarlet with ruby dots in throat. A dozen of these great beauties in a local florist's window caused a sensation.....L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 60c

MRS. KR. PRESTGARD (Prestgard)—Pure snow-white without any trace of markings. Blooms of good substance, many open at a time. Tall and strong plant. One of our 1926 First Prize Winners.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; No Blbts.

MRS. LEON DOUGLAS (Diener)—Ground color begonia rose striped with flame and brilliant scarlet. Lip pale lemon, slightly speckled with ruby. The size of the flowers, we believe, are the largest in existence, and all are very open and well set on long spikes.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

MRS. N. VANDERBILT (Diener)—Light salmon pink, heavily ruffled. Throat sulphur yellow, mottled and striped with crimson. Large flowers, clean grower and A-1 variety.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

MRS. P. W. SISSON (Coleman)—A seedling of wondrous beauty shown for the first time at the A. G. S. Exhibition in New York City, August, 1924, and was awarded the A. G. S. First Class Certificate; also won the Sisson Cash Prize of \$100.00 for best seedling. A lovely pink.

L. each, 75c; M. each, 50c; S. each, 35c; Blbts, 10 for 50c

MRS. RICHARD LOHRMAN (Diener)—Creamy shell pink with pale yellow lip. A color rivaling the finest orchid. Flowers are very large and edges heavily ruffled. Long, sturdy spikes which sometimes kink, wonderful for decorative purposes. A variety of indescribable beauty.

L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

MRS. ROBERT CUNNINGHAM (Diener)—Cameo pink overlaid with lilac and ruby. Flowers of the very largest size. Many blossoms open at once. One of the largest gladiolus ever produced.

L. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00; M. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.25

MRS. VAN KONYNENBURG (Pfitzer)—Matchless aniline blue, beats far the color of Badenia, grows 5 feet tall, stems erect, flowers well placed on stem. Every grower admits that this one is far superior to Geraldine Farrar and to any other blue variety yet produced.

L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.25; S. each, 75c; Blbts 10 for \$1.50

MR. W. H. PHIPPS (Diener)—LaFrance pink overlaid with light rose salmon, lighter toward the center. Lower petals very faintly striped and speckled with ruby. Flowers enormous. A masterpiece in Gladioli.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 60c

MURIEL (Pfitzer)—Pale violet blue, orchid blue with purplish blue blotch on lower petals, large open flowers. Excellent substance and arrangement. Tall and straight grower.

L. 2 for 38c; doz., \$2.00; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 50c

NANCY HANKS (Salbach)—Very rich peach red to orange pink with prominent grenadine tongue. Wide open flowers, much on the order of Alice Tiplady, but larger and of taller growth.

L. each, 35c; doz., \$3.50; M. 2 for 38c; doz., \$2.00; S. doz., \$1.00

OH BOY! (Bill)—When you see this variety in flower you will fully realize the significance of the name. Your exclamation of delight will prolong the "Oh!" and follow with a sharp explosive "Boy." A brilliant red, self-color without markings. Flowers 7 inches or more across and petals extremely thick. Sometimes with 4 or 5 of these mammoth flowers at a time it gives the impression that the limit of development has been reached. Even with this mass of flowers the stalk is strong enough to hold it erect. Flowers are wide open and petals are broad rather than narrow and pointed.

L. each, \$3.50; M. each, \$2.50; S. each, \$1.50; Blbts. each, 40c

ONEIDA JANE (Carpenter)—Color geranium pink with white throat blotch and red feathering. This is a real cut flower, very early. Blooms a little before Elizabeth Tabor with us, is about 4 feet high. 16 to 18 buds on spike with 5 or 6 open. A seedling of Prince of Wales and a very fine early variety.

L. each, \$2.00; Blbts. 3 for 50c



OPALESCENT

OPALESCENT (Bill)—Wonderful spikes of very large pale rose lavender. A pure self-color with soft lilac throat lines. A vigorous grower with excellent foliage and strong, straight bloom stalks. Flowers well placed with broad petals of good substance. This will be in demand by florist trade as soon as it becomes known. Be sure to give this a trial.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50
M. 4 for 30c; doz., 80c
S. doz., 40c

ORANGE BUTTERFLY (Salbach)—A rich glowing bronzy orange primulinus hybrid. As the name indicates, the flowers are butterfly shape. They are of excellent substance, and beautifully placed, six to eight open at one time. This flower was invariably the first one to be noticed in every basket in which it appeared.

L. each, \$2.50; M. each, \$1.50
S. each, 75c; Blbts. each, 25c

ORANGE FLAME (Kunderd)—Wonderful glowing vermillion orange blooms; very large and magnificently ruffled. A splendid plant and spike. Another first prize winner.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50
M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25
S. doz., 60c

ORANGE QUEEN (Pfitzer)—Copper orange. This shade does not yet appear in the Gladiolus world. The germination and growth are excellent. Primulinus Grandiflora type.....L. 2 for 38c; doz., \$2.00
M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.00
S. doz., 50c

ORCHID LADY (Spencer)—A sensational early lavender of huge size. Moderate substance, but very fine. Excellent propagator.

L. each, \$5.00; M. each, \$2.50; S. each, \$1.25; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00

PAPILIO (Diener)—Shrimp pink and apricot. Lip real lemon yellow, speckled with ruby. Immense flowers, very long, strong spikes.

L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.00; S. each, 50c; No Blbts.

PARAMOUNT (Kunderd)—A wonderful blending of pink and cream. Similar to Mrs. Dr. Norton, but more beautiful.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 60c

PAUL PFITZER (Pfitzer)—Glowing violet purple. Large blooms and a tall, strong grower.....L. each, \$1.00; M. each, 60c; S. each, 40c; No Blbts.

PAULINE KUNDERD (Kunderd)—The new wonder Gladiolus. A pure rose-pink of most fresh and delightful tone, with throat of finest cream, in perfectly harmonious blending with the pink.

L. each, \$5.00; M. each, \$3.50; S. each, \$2.00; No Blbts.



THE ORCHID

PEACH ROSE (Kunderd)—An extra choice and distinct deep rose-pink of remarkable color and appearance. A very beautiful variety.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

PEARL OF CALIFORNIA (Kingsley)—This is one of the best *Gladiolus* of the 1926 introductions. The size, the color and the form are all that could be desired. The tall, graceful spike bears from 26 to 32 buds with 8 to 12 open at the same time. The large blossom is of the clearest, softest LaFrance pink nature ever put into a *Glad*, blending to a rosy white throat. Excellent cut flower and lovely for the garden. You will love this flower and will grow it eventually. Pearl of California received the American *Gladiolus* Society's Award of Merit, at Rochester, N. Y., August, 1926.

L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.50; S. each, \$1.00; Blbts 10 for \$1.00

PERSIA (Holland)—Another one of those black varieties that create the striking contrasts in the garden. A few of these scattered with the other colors add a tone to the color scheme that is very desirable. The buds are black with bright green foliage. Good grower and 5 to 6 flowers open.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 65c

PFITZER'S TRIUMPH (Pfitzer)—One thinks of it as a red, but it's a bright salmon-orange, similar in color to Dr. Bennett. The blooms are immense, even from bulbets. Greatly in demand.

L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.50; S. each, \$1.00; Blbts, 10 for \$1.00

PINK CLOUD (Kunderd)—A large, distinct, showy ruffled variety. Usually seven to nine beautiful, soft rose-pink blossoms open at a time. A very beautiful deeper rose throat. A distinct introduction.

L. each, 25c; M. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; S. doz., 80c

PINK WONDER (Kemp)—One of the largest varieties ever introduced. It is a strong, vigorous grower with many massive flowers open at one time. The stippled pink edges, over white ground, with a silvery sheen over the whole flower. The faint yellow shading the base of the petals is overlaid with rose feathering.....L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 50c

PRESIDENT HARDING (Partain)—Extremely early deep Tyrian rose. Very good form. Not tall, but a fine propagator and grower.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 60c

PRIDE OF LANCASTER (Kunderd)—Shrimp-pink, suffused peach-red; throat blotched scarlet-red. A very fine color. Very compact spike with blooms well set. This variety is sometimes described as a brilliant orange-salmon. Very beautifully ruffled and fine in every way.

L. each, 15c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

PRIM BEAUTY (Christy)—A *Dracocephalus* hybrid. Large blossoms of cream, heavily lined and pin striped with salmon, giving a color effect of rich salmon-buff. Striking and pretty.....L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c

PRIMROSE PRINCESS (Salbach)—Very large, stately wide open, clear primrose yellow. Two lower petals rich amber yellow, soft carmine markings deep in throat, 5 to 7 well placed blooms open at one time. Tall plant growth and long flower spike. The large blooms, fine color harmony and poise of the flower all contribute to its elegance.

L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.00; Blbts. 5 for 50c

PUREST OF ALL (Pfitzer)—A splendid pure white variety of large size; excellent spike with well placed flowers, all that the name implies.

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; S. doz., \$1.25

PURPLE GLORY (Kunderd)—Deep velvety maroon-red, with almost black blotches. Beautifully ruffled. An excellent show flower.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c

RADIANT ORANGE (Austin)—Large wide open blooms of a clear apricot orange. A grand-daughter of Alice Tiplady, but much larger. Has a fine open *Gandavensis* form.....L. each, \$1.00; No Blbts.

RED EMPEROR (Groff)—Immense pure deep scarlet flowers, which are well placed on a tall, wiry stem. Magnificent.

L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25

RED FIRE (Kunderd)—A seedling of "Princeps." Entire flower of richest pure self-colored bright red. Very striking and showy. One of our best bright red *gladioli*.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 4 for 30c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

REVEREND EWBANK (Velthuys)—A beautiful light lavender or porcelain blue; distinct and pretty. Blooms well from small bulbs; early.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 4 for 30c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c



PEARL OF CALIFORNIA



RICHARD DIENER

RICHARD DIENER (Diener)—Pure geranium pink with a slight sprinkling of ruby on creamy yellow center. Large, flaring blossoms, rivaling an orchid in beauty. The acme of perfection in coloring. This variety has created a sensation wherever shown.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50
M. 4 for 30c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

RITA BECK (Fischer)—Clear shell pink with scarlet line on lip. Six to eight large, well placed flowers open at a time. Spike not clumsy, but of good substance and stands up well. A good propagator and one that has a bright future.....L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.50
S. each, \$1.00; Bibts. 10 for \$1.50

ROBERT J. KUNDERD (Kunderd)—Medium tall, very large, most brilliant deep vermillion or orange scarlet. A wonderful showy self-color. L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M 4 for 30c; doz., 80c
S. doz., 40c

ROMANCE (Kunderd)—Large, orange, salmon, rose, red and yellow throat. Wine-blue bordered petals. Unusually distinct and very showy. Winner of two first prizes A. G. S. Show, 1926. L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c
S. doz., 40c

ROSE (Kunderd)—Extra strong, large plant. Large, showy flowers of a pure, deep rose-pink color with large, beautiful deep-red throat blotches.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50
M. doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

ROSE ASH (Diener)—Corinthian red, shading into ashes of roses on the outer edges. Lower petals light yellow, speckled with ruby. Flowers large and well placed.
L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00

ROSE GLORY (Kunderd)—A strong, vigorous grower, a magnificent garden variety, adding grace, beauty and color, with its pure rose-pink and deeper pink in throat, to any collection.
L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c

ROSE MIST (Fisher)—The most unusual color of any primulinus on the market. May be called crushed-strawberry with a buff line around the entire flower, and showing through in places. Is now, and will be for many years, in big demand.....L. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50
M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25; S. doz., 80c

ROSE PRECOSE (Europe)—Medium early; color a beautiful warm, deep pink with slight salmon reflex, very similar to Pink Perfection; perfect, straight spike, 4 feet tall with well placed flowers; a vigorous grower. An extraordinary variety, which we cannot too highly recommend.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

ROZAN (Austin)—Its marvelous rose-pink blooms are of a shade that demand the attention of all who see it in the garden; it has created a sensation wherever exhibited during the past season and is one of the largest and most beautiful Glads in this color.

L. each, \$5.00; M. each, \$3.00; S. each, \$1.50; Blbts, 3 for \$1.00

RUBINI (Heemskirk)—Large flower of a bright salmon scarlet, with pure white mark on lower petals; very distinct and clear color and splendid grower.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

RUFFLED GOLD (Goodrich)—Lovely golden-yellow, beautifully ruffled; of distinct form and different from any other yellow; long spike, strong, healthy grower, good producer of bulblets. Almost every bulblet will grow.

L. each, \$10.00; M. each, \$5.00; Blbts each, 50c

RUFFOLACE (Kemp)—This exquisitely beautiful variety is nicely ruffled and lacinated. The color of the flower is pure white, 4 inches and over in diameter, 4 and 5 open at a time, and are borne on straight, stout spikes 3 feet high. The plant is healthy and vigorous and a good producer of bulblets that will grow.....

L. each, \$3.00; M. each, \$2.00; S. each, \$1.25; Blbts each, 25c

SCARLANO (Kunderd)—Bright orange-scarlet, finely ruffled flowers, set rather close on spike but making a very fine display. Slender stem, fine for cutting.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 60c

SCARLET BEDDER (Salbach)—This is a large, fine gladiolus of the primulinus group. Its color is of a beautiful true scarlet and is self-colored.

L. each, 75c; doz., \$7.50; M. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; S. each, 30c; doz., \$3.00

SCARLET PRINCEPS (Kunderd) A beautiful red gladiolus with 6 or more massive princeps like blooms open at a time, throat a little deeper. Placement almost perfect. A distinct and massive spike.

L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 40c

SENORITA (Salbach)—Very large, clear wide open orange shading to salmon. Lower petals bright orange yellow with prominent carmine tongue and penciling. Very attractive and unusual. Plants sturdy and of medium height. Substance excellent.....

L. each, \$2.00; M. each, \$1.50; Blbts. 5 for \$1.00

SERRATA (Bill)—Large and clear cream in color. Petals serrated or lacinated on edges. Strong, healthy grower, good seed producer and multiplies well.

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; S. doz., \$1.25

SHEILA (Coleman)—A wonderful rich salmon. The blooms are large and very graceful. This flower has been much admired by our visitors.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

SHELL PINK (Kunderd)—Tall plant; large flowered rose pink flowers with slightly mottled white throat. One of the very finest blending of colors in the primulinus class.....

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

SHOW FLOWER (Kunderd)—A giant flower of great attractiveness. All petals a fine shade of rose-red with immense white face, mottled deeper in throat. Violet and white upper throat. Very extra.

L. each, 40c; doz., \$4.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; S. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.25

SIBYL (Bill)—Beautiful, large cream flowers with tips of petals flaked mallow pink. Strong flower and many flowers open at a time. Sibyl was awarded a First Class Certificate by the American Gladiolus Society.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50

SIDNEY PLUMMER (Salbach)—Beautiful soft yellow, suffused delicate pink. Rich amber lip, amaranth purple tongue. An exquisite color combination. Blooms large, well placed and slightly ruffled. Many open at one time. A very fine yellow, rated by Mr. Chas. E. Gersdorff at 95%, both as a commercial and exhibition flower.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

SNOW BOY (Kunderd)—Tall and stately, large white; many flowers open at a time; beautifully blotched on lower petals.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

SOUVENIR (Gravereau)—Pure golden yellow *Primulinus Grandiflorus*. First Class Certificate in Haarlem. One of the most perfect flowering gladiolus of the pure golden yellow color.

L. 3 for 28c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

SULPHUR FRILLS (Kunderd)—Tall, many medium-sized flowers open at a time. Beautifully ruffled of finest, pure, soft sulphur shade.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. doz., 75c; S. doz., 40c

SUPERBA (Coleman)—The color is a rich glowing scarlet bordering on carmine. The blooms are large, wide open and very showy.

L. 2 for 40c; doz., \$2.00; M. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20; S. doz., 60c

SWEET LAVENDER (Coleman)—A lovely combination of light lavender pink, blending into creamy yellow, with prominent magenta red blotch. An early flower of excellent substance.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 40c

SWEET ROSE (Kunderd)—Very massive flowers on tall, strong plant of purest deep rose-pink with extra large, beautiful red throat. A wonder rose-pink.

L. each, 40c; doz., \$4.00; M. 2 for 40c; doz., \$2.00; S. doz., \$1.00

TARO (Kunderd)—Large flowers on strong spikes. American Beauty rose color. A new shade among gladioli. L. each, 40c; doz., \$4.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50

THEDA (Bill)—Great for forcing! Large, open flowers, well placed on tall stems. Most delicate shrimp pink, gradually blending to soft Pinard yellow in the throat, with pansy violet lines on lower petals. Rated 95% as a commercial flower by Gersdorff.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

THE ARISTOCRAT (Bill)—This is a true Aristocrat among the hundreds of newer ones. Large, strong, massive spikes of most delicate coloring. A pale saffron pink flaked deep orange with cream throat and very distinct violet feather. Slightly ruffled and extra large. Several flowers open at a time.

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. each, 25c; doz., \$2.50; S. doz., \$1.25

THE ORCHID (Sprague)—It resembles no other gladiolus and is fittingly named "The Orchid," for a single floret worn as a cattaleya would readily be mistaken for one a few feet distant. Its long, narrow, ruffled and lacinated petals open to a width of six to nine inches with a ground color of very pale lavender flecked toward the edges and ends with lavender-pink. The upper petal is usually incurved, partially concealing a touch of yellow in the throat crossed by two very narrow feathers of amaranth. Four to five florets are open at one time and are gracefully placed on the spike, not opposite but all facing the front. L. each, \$1.00; M. each, 60c; S. each, 40c; Blbts 10 for \$1.00

THOS. T. KENT (Diener)—Shell pink overlaid with strawberry. Crimson streak on each petal. Very vigorous in growth. This is one of our heavy propagators. Spikes tall. L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c; S. doz., 40c

TITANIC (Hoeg)—Lilac purple with a white line through the center of the lower petals. A very distinctive and rare color. Very large, wide open flowers. A grand variety. L. 2 for 38c; doz., \$2.00; M. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; S. doz., 50c

TOBERSUN (Austin)—Another new pure yellow of sterling worth, a lighter shade than Loyalty, strong grower, beautiful form, good spike with many blooms open at one time. A late, good, commercial variety. Its beautiful, clear color late in season reminds us of October sunshine, hence its name.

L. each, \$2.00; Blbts. 6 for \$1.00

TREASURE (Kunderd)—Tall plant. Large, round, wide open flowers of soft salmon rose-pink, flaked deeper rose, blended lighter towards the throat. A distinct and beautiful variety.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

TRIUMPHATOR (Krilage)—A very large flower of orange-red, with just a faint dusting of white deep in the throat. The immense flowers are on a perfect built spike. Tall and strong grower. This is, no doubt, one of the finest reds in cultivation. Very early.

L. each, 50c; doz., \$5.00; M. 2 for 50c; doz., \$2.50; S. doz., \$1.50

TWILIGHT (Kunderd)—Beautifully blushed creamy-buff with throat of grandest yellow and pink.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c

TYCKO ZANG (Austin)—Tycko blooms are of a beautiful shade of clear salmon pink with a brilliance possibly unequaled under an electric light. The petals are of good substance and are broad and rounding at the tips. The flowers usually measure five inches in diameter; have white throat, faintly dotted with deep cerise. Many open at once, and are well placed on a straight spike 4 feet in height. Broad foliage and a good propagator.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

TYRIAN BEAUTY (Kunderd)—A beautiful large flower near "American Beauty" rose color. Awarded first prize for best plain petaled variety at the Mid-Western Gladiolus Show, Des Moines, Iowa.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

VANITY (Bill)—Very large blooms on massive stalks 4 feet or more in height with 7 to 9 flowers open at a time. LaFrance pink flushed over cream ground with stipplings of hermosa pink on cream yellow throat. Open, winged flowers with petals reflexed at the tips. Often referred to as the apple blossom pink primulinus.....L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 40c

VEILCHENBLAU (Pfitzer)—Violet blue, large flower of a lovely blue shade, shading to a darker throat. Well formed spike and strong grower for a variety of this color.....L. each, \$1.00; M. each, 60c; S. each, 40c; No Blbts.

VIOLET GLORY (Kunderd)—Massive flowers of a deep violet self-color; deeper in throat. Very rich; mediumly ruffled.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

VIRGINIA HALE (Kunderd)—Beautiful soft, creamy salmon rose, deeper towards border of all petals. Very refined and beautiful variety.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

WATERMELON (Kunderd)—Tall, fine plant. Large flowers, perfect form. Color a pure watermelon pink. As inviting and attractive as a beautiful watermelon.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c

WEDGEWOOD (Austin)—Dark, rich violet-purple, buds nearly black, of a satiny lustre. Upper petals lighter at throat. Tall, slender spike with several good size blooms open at one time. Far superior to Baron Hulot.

L. each, \$1.50; M. each, \$1.00; S. each, 75c

WHITE GIANT (Van Meerbeek)—A truly wonderful, large, pure white, softly tinted pink and entirely without throat markings. Flowers are very large and well placed on strong, straight stem. 5 to 6 open at a time. A splendid grower and blooms well even from small bulbs.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 50c

WHITE ORCHID (Bill)—Extremely graceful and beautiful. Color pure cream white. The wing petals stand well open, measuring 4 to 5 inches across. The upper central petal gracefully curved forward. The three lower petals are somewhat smaller. All petals most beautifully frilled and of heavy substance, which holds up well under adverse conditions.

L. each, \$3.00; M. each, \$2.00; S. each, \$1.00; Blbts 10 for \$1.50

WHITE PIGEON (Kunderd)—A wonderful, pure all white. Large blooms, six to eight open. A strong, healthy grower and a rapid propagator.

L. 3 for 30c; doz., \$1.00; M. 4 for 25c; doz., 60c; S. doz., 30c

WHITE WONDER (Kemp)—A large, pure white, softly tinted pink and entirely without throat markings. Flowers are very large and well placed on strong, straight stem; 5 or 6 open at a time. A splendid grower and blooms well even from small bulbs.....L. 2 for 25c; doz., \$1.20

WILBRINCK (Hopman)—A sport of Halley and blooms about the same time; delicate pale pink, somewhat similar to America. A fine florist and cut flower variety.....L. doz., 50c; M. doz., 30c

WILLIAM C. BADGER (Metzner)—This glorious flower has met with universal favor wherever shown. The color is a delicate coral, edged with darker coral tones; throat pale yellow, sprinkled dark coral on the lower petals. The flowers, 6 to 8 open at a time, are 6 inches in diameter and perfect in placement. A beauty in every respect.

L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

WILLIAM KENT (Diener)—Creamy shell pink with golden ochre center. Flowers very large. Declared by the biggest experts in gladioli to be the best ruffled gladiolus yet produced, considering size and amount of flowers open at one time. 15 open flowers at once is no rarity.

L. each, 50c; M. each, 30c; S. 2 for 30c

YELLOW GLORY (Kunderd)—Upper petals fine deep canary yellow, lower petals deeper daffodil yellow with large, neat, purplish pink blotches. Tall, fine stem, beautifully ruffled yellow variety. A very effective vase and show flower.....L. 2 for 30c; doz., \$1.50; M. 3 for 25c; doz., 80c; S. doz., 40c

Special Gladiolus Collections

These collections have proven so immensely popular with our customers in the past seasons that we are prompted to offer even a larger selection of different assortments, as we wish to meet every demand, as far as it is possible to do so.

We are making as low prices on these collections as we possibly can afford, therefore these cannot be included for further discounts in Extras.

COLLECTION NO. 1—31 large bulbs of 10 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

3 ANNA EBERIUS (Purple).....	Value	\$0.30
3 DIANA (Deep red).....	Value	.30
3 EVELYN KIRTLAND (Rose-pink).....	Value	.30
2 GOLDEN SWALLOW (Clear yellow) P. G.....	Value	.30
3 JEWEL (Salmon pink) P. G.....	Value	.28
3 LILY WHITE (Early white).....	Value	.28
2 OPALESCENT (Lavender).....	Value	.30
3 PINK WONDER (Large pink).....	Value	.28
3 SOUVENIR (Golden yellow) P. G.....	Value	.28
6 WILBRINCK (Pale pink).....	Value	.25

Total Value\$2.82

Special Price.....\$2.40

COLLECTION NO. 2—62 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$5.64, for.....\$4.75

COLLECTION NO. 3—124 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$11.28, for.....\$8.50

COLLECTION NO. 4—26 large bulbs of the 10 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

3 BUTTERBOY (Buttercup yellow) P. G.....	Value	\$0.30
2 COWEE'S SCARLET WONDER (Crimson scarlet)	Value	.30
3 E. B. WILLIAMSON (Deep purple).....	Value	.30
2 HENRY FORD (Rhodamine purple).....	Value	.30
2 JACOB VAN BEYEREN (Violet).....	Value	.30
3 GOLD (Golden yellow).....	Value	.28
3 MARY PICKFORD (Creamy white).....	Value	.28
2 MRS. ARTHUR MEEKER (American Beauty rose)	Value	.28
3 SHELL PINK (Rose pink) P. G.....	Value	.30
3 SHEILA (Rich salmon).....	Value	.30

Total Value\$2.94

Special Price.....\$2.50

COLLECTION NO. 5—52 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$5.88, for.....\$4.80

COLLECTION NO. 6.—104 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$11.76, for..... \$9.00

COLLECTION NO. 7.—19 large bulbs of the 10 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

2 ALMA GLUCK (Peach red) P. G.....	Value	\$0.30
2 BLUSHING BEAUTY (Blush pink).....	Value	.25
2 CHALLENGER (Large dark red).....	Value	.28
2 DR. ELKINS (Rose pink).....	Value	.30
2 KATHERINE F. HESS (Geranium pink).....	Value	.30
3 LOS ANGELES (Shrimp pink) P. G.....	Value	.28
1 KING OF THE BLUES (Deep blue).....	Value	.25
2 MARIE KUNDERD (Pure white).....	Value	.25
1 PERSIA (Very dark mahogany red).....	Value	.25
2 RICHARD DIENER (Geranium pink).....	Value	.30

Total Value\$2.76

Special Price.....\$2.40

COLLECTION NO. 8.—38 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$5.52, for..... \$4.60

COLLECTION NO. 9.—76 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$11.04, for..... \$9.00

COLLECTION NO. 10.—20 large bulbs of the 10 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

2 CAPTAIN BOYNTON (Nice lavender).....	Value	\$0.30
2 FLAMING SWORD (Brilliant red) P. G.....	Value	.38
2 LA COURONNE (Creamy yellow).....	Value	.30
2 MARIETTA (Delicate salmon).....	Value	.30
2 MISS MADISON (Dainty pink).....	Value	.30
2 MURIEL (Pale violet blue).....	Value	.38
2 ORANGE QUEEN (Copper orange) P. G.....	Value	.38
2 PEACH ROSE (Deep rose-pink).....	Value	.30
2 ROSE PRECOSE (Warm deep pink).....	Value	.30
2 WHITE GIANT (Large, pure white).....	Value	.30

Total Value\$3.24

Special Price.....\$2.90

COLLECTION NO. 11.—40 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$6.48, for..... \$5.60

COLLECTION NO. 12.—80 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$12.96, for.....\$10.00

COLLECTION NO. 13.—14 large bulbs of the varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

1 ADELINA PATTI (Royal purple).....	Value	\$0.30
2 FERN KYLE (Large creamy white).....	Value	.25
1 GOLDEN DREAM (Fine deep yellow).....	Value	1.00
1 HALCYON (Soft rose-pink).....	Value	.50
1 MADAM M. SULLY (White, carmine blotch).....	Value	.35

2 MR. A. H. HYDE (Fine snow white).....	Value	.30
2 PARAMOUNT (Pink and cream).....	Value	.30
2 ROBERT J. KUNDERD (Deep vermillion).....	Value	.30
1 THE ARISTOCRAT (Delicate pink).....	Value	.50
1 TRIUMPHATOR (Large, orange-red).....	Value	.50

Total Value\$4.30

Special Price.....\$3.80

COLLECTION NO. 14.—28 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$8.60, for.....\$7.50

COLLECTION NO. 15.—56 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$17.20, for.....\$14.75

COLLECTION NO. 16.—10 large bulbs of the 10 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

1 CARDINAL PRINCE (Fine cardinal).....	Value	\$0.35
1 CATHERINE COLEMAN (Rich coral pink)....	Value	.30
1 COPPER BRONZE (Large, copper bronze).....	Value	.30
1 GLADDIE BOY (Pink and yellow) P. G.....	Value	.50
1 GOLDEN DREAM (Best pure yellow).....	Value	1.00
1 JANE ADDAMS (Large phlox pink).....	Value	1.00
1 JOERG'S WHITE (Large, pure white).....	Value	.50
1 ORANGE FLAME (Vermillion orange).....	Value	.25
1 SERRATA (Large clear cream).....	Value	.50
1 SWEET ROSE (Pure deep rose-pink).....	Value	.40

Total Value\$5.10

Special Price.....\$4.60

COLLECTION NO. 17.—20 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$10.20, for.....\$9.00

COLLECTION NO. 18.—40 large bulbs of the 10 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$20.40, for.....\$17.50

COLLECTION NO. 19.—5 large bulbs of the 5 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

1 GOLDEN DREAM (Best pure yellow).....	Value	\$1.00
1 HELEN HOWARD (Fine golden buff).....	Value	1.00
1 JANE ADDAMS (Large phlox-pink).....	Value	1.00
1 LINCOLN ELLSWORTH (Immense white).....	Value	2.00
1 MRS. F. C. HORNBERGER (Beautiful white)	Value	1.00

Total Value\$6.00

Special Price.....\$5.40

COLLECTION NO. 20.—10 large bulbs of the 5 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$12.00, for.....\$10.50

COLLECTION NO. 21.—5 bulbs of the 5 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

1 GOLDEN DREAM (Best pure yellow).....	Value	\$1.00
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1 HEAVENLY BLUE (Heliotrope-lilac) Medium size	Value	5.00
1 MRS. VAN KONYNENBURG (Fine aniline blue)	Value	2.00
1 PEARL OF CALIFORNIA (Fine LaFrance pink)	Value	2.00
1 PFITZER'S TRIUMPH (Bright salmon-orange)	Value	2.00

Total Value\$12.00

Special Price.....\$10.80

COLLECTION NO. 22.—10 bulbs of the 5 varieties, correctly labeled, listed above. Total Value, \$24.00, for.....\$21.50

COLLECTION NO. 23.—5 large bulbs of the 5 varieties, correctly labeled, as follows:

1 BETTY NUTHALL (Warm light coral)	Value	\$7.50
1 CORYPHEE (Immense soft rose-pink)	Value	7.00
1 DR. MOODY (Fine new lavender)	Value	5.00
1 MAMMOTH WHITE (Large pure white)	Value	10.00
1 RUFFLED GOLD (Lovely golden yellow)	Value	10.00

Total Value\$39.50

Special Price.....\$33.50

COLLECTION NO. 24.—10 large bulbs of the 5 varieties listed above, correctly labeled. Total Value, \$79.00, for.....\$66.00

All collections are **net**. No further discount.

We do not substitute one variety for another without permission, but in the **Collections** we reserve the right to do so, if, later in the season, we should be sold out of certain kinds listed. In such instances we will substitute a similar color of a better variety which will more than please the customer. If not satisfactory, please note on order.

Mixtures.—While we do not grow any mixtures or unnamed seedlings, we made up four classes of mixtures from our regular stock of named varieties last season that proved so immensely popular with our customers who did not care for the names, but “just wanted a lot of nice Glads,” that we will repeat the same offer this year, and make up even a higher grade mixture for the money.

Special Mixtures.—Per dozen, 50c; per 50, \$2.00; per 100, \$3.50.

De Luxe Mixtures.—Per dozen, \$1.00; per 50, \$4.50; per 100, \$8.00.

Primulinus Grandiflora Mixtures.—All fine vase flowers of many colors and types, extra value, per dozen, 50c; per 50, \$2.00; per 100, \$3.50.

All of the collections and mixtures are made up of large blooming size bulbs. None are smaller than 1 inch, and most of them are 1¼-1½ inches and larger, except the Junior Garden Mixtures.

Junior Garden Mixtures.—Made up of a large number of named varieties of both the Gandavensis and Primulinus Grandiflora types. A wonderful assortment of all kinds of color combinations. Give the children a chance to have a Glad Garden all their own, and become interested in the beautiful flowers, which reflect the everlasting love of the Creator of All. You can afford to order this mixture in liberal quantities at our low price. Medium size bulbs from $\frac{1}{2}$ inch to 1 inch and over. All will bloom under normal conditions.

Per dozen, 30c; per 50, \$1.25; per 100, \$2.00; per 1000, \$16.00.

All express or parcel post charges **prepaid**.

The prices of **Collections** and **Mixtures** are net as all offers for early orders, etc., have already been deducted, but generous count can be expected on **all orders**.

No Orders can be filled for less than \$2.00.

May 1st is the latest we can accept orders.

You Are Invited

To become a member of the American Gladiolus Society. As a member you will receive the monthly 32-page Bulletin, a magazine published by the Society and devoted solely to gladiolus. It gives much valuable information about the culture of gladiolus and keeps you well informed as to new varieties being introduced.

The dues are \$2.00 a year, which includes the Bulletin. We most sincerely recommend this as a good investment to any gladiolus lover.

Send your application with the \$2.00 to Roscoe Huff (Secretary), Goshen, Indiana, or send me the \$2.00 along with your order, and I will forward it for you and for each **new** membership will add one bulb of "Golden Dream" free.

Dahlias

While we specialize in the growing of the "Best *Gladiolus*," we have grown Dahlias for more than ten years as a "Hobby." Needless to say, our first collection has all been replaced with the newer and better varieties that are far superior in color, size, stems, etc., to the best of ten years ago. There is no comparison. Here the climate is not as suitable for the flowers as in the extreme east or west coast countries, but we have satisfied ourselves that if one loves a plant it can be made to grow and bloom most anywhere—and we have had most beautiful Dahlias in our own garden. Hundreds of visitors have been surprised and have frankly admitted that they have never seen or known that there existed such fine Dahlias. Many have placed their orders for tubers right then and there.

No doubt the Dahlia requires better treatment, especially in extremely dry and hot climates, than they need in the moist atmospheric conditions in the coast countries, but we are well satisfied that the tubers produced here are hardier, and will do better without being acclimated than those grown under more favorable conditions for production of flowers.

We do not claim to have the largest and finest collection of Dahlias in the country, and our intention is not to try to see how many varieties we can grow, but rather how many of the "very best" we can secure. It is our ambition to add the newest and best each year as they are disseminated till our Dahlia collection is second to none—Quality considered.

We are giving a few hints on the growing of Dahlias that we hope will be of some help to the beginner, as we wish our customers the very best success with every bulb or tuber we send out. By following these simple instructions you will be well rewarded for your trouble "When Your Dahlias Bloom."

SOIL PREPARATION—

Prepare the soil in the fall or early spring by spading it at least fourteen inches deep (the deeper the better). Work in well rotted stable manure, if available, and mix well with the soil. An ordinary five-tine spading fork is most adaptable for this work. If your soil is a heavy clay or black gumbo that will pack or bake hard, and if no old manure is to be had, work in a liberal amount of old leaves or anything from the compost pile. Even sifted coal ashes or sand will help to keep the soil loose and friable. Fresh manure should never be used as any bulb or tuber will resent it. If you have good garden land that has been enriched in previous years, no fertilizer is needed till buds begin to appear. If your soil is very poor and nothing will grow well, you can overcome this difficulty at only a small expense. Secure a good potato fertilizer of say 4-16-8 at any seed store. Scatter a liberal amount over the ground two weeks before planting and mix well with the soil.

PLANTING TIME—

Planting time varies a great deal according to locality. With us the best time is usually from May 10th to 20th. Later planting is perhaps better in localities where there is no danger of early frost, as the best flowers are produced late in the season after the summer heat is past. Dig the holes five or six inches deep, lay the tuber on the side with the eye or sprout up (never set tuber on end). Before covering, drive a stout stake well into the ground about six inches from the crown of the tuber. The stake should be at least four feet long above ground. If your garden is exposed to strong winds, set the stake on the side of tuber from which the worst wind storms usually come, thus saving the plants from being torn or twisted to pieces by high winds. When stakes are set, cover the tuber and make firm the soil well around it to exclude air pockets. If soil is light and mellow, fill the hole level with the ground. If heavy, or of clay that is apt to get hard, cover only two inches to begin with and after plants are up, fill in the dirt gradually around them, always with care that the tops are not covered. Sometimes several plants will come up from one tuber. Select the strongest one or two at the most, and cut off all the rest at or a little below the ground. Never allow more than two stalks to the hill—one is better.

CULTIVATION—

Cultivation should begin soon after planting is completed. Keep the soil loose between the plants, deep at first. Cultivate, hoe or rake the surface and keep it fine and mellow so as to retain moisture, and also to prevent weeds from getting a start. Never plant or cultivate when soil is too wet to work well, and do not plant your Dahlias under or near large trees or shrubs. Like most flowers, they love air and sunshine. Except in extremely long, dry spells no watering will be needed until plants are in bud, but always keep soil well stirred near to and between the plants to keep a crust from forming. As soon as the plants are tall enough, tie them securely to the stakes, using strips of muslin or soft twine that will not cut stems when swayed by winds. If you wish a bushy plant with a large number of flowers, pinch out the top when the plant has four to six pairs of leaves. A shoot will come out of each leaf from the main stem; thus if you pinch out the top to four sets of leaves you will have eight stalks to the plant. The center or terminal bud only should be left to develop. Each side bud should be pinched off as soon as large enough to get hold of or about the size of a garden pea.

If long stems are wanted, pinch off each pair of side shoots down the stem to the lowest set or two according to growth or habits of each individual variety. when the plant has four to six pairs of leaves, and after that let it grow as it In this way you can regulate the number of flowers wanted on each plant as well as length of stems desired. Naturally the fewer the flowers grown on a plant the larger their size will be. If Dahlias are wanted just for a nice showing in the garden, the largest number of flowers the better—then just pinch out the top will, and it will be just covered with blooms.

When the buds begin to develop, give your plants a liberal top-dressing of a good fertilizer. If a 4-16-8 is not available, steamed bonemeal with say 20% muriate of potash added, well mixed and well scattered over the ground, but not too close to the plants, will do. Rake lightly so as to mix this fertilizer well with the top soil. From this time on deep cultivation is harmful and only very shallow stirring of the top soil should be practiced. The best method is to cover the ground heavily with a good mulch to keep the moisture from evaporating. Most anything will do for this covering. Manure is best, but straw, leaves, grass clippings, etc., will do nicely. From this time on water your Dahlias frequently. Don't let them suffer from thirst in dry, hot weather.

DIGGING AND STORING—

The Dahlia is a very tender plant and is generally killed by the first frost. As soon as the plants have died it is best to take up the tubers within two or three days. Cut off the stalks close to the ground. Loosen the ground in a circle around the plant with a spading fork, but keep far enough away from the plant so as not to injure the tubers. Work around the plant in a circle, prying the clump loose gradually, thus preventing the necks of the tubers from being strained or broken. When the clump is lifted, leave it for two or three hours in the wind and sun to dry off the earth that adheres to it. Then pack away in wooden boxes, top side down. Have boxes heavily lined inside with newspaper to exclude air circulation. Store in a basement away from the furnace, in a temperature of between forty and fifty degrees. In the spring divide clump so as to have a sprout to each tuber. Never plant a whole clump as it would make too many plants to a hill, and only small, inferior flowers and stems will result. Your Dahlias will respond to good treatment, and reward you most liberally with beautiful flowers in great abundance.

Dahlia Price List

- AMBASSADOR** (Cactus)—Soft yellow buff, shaded salmon pink. Very large; fine form **Each, \$1.50; 3 for \$3.75**
- BALLET GIRL** (Cactus)—Very large cactus, with long, very finely quilled petals. Color, orange tipped white; some flowers solid orange on same plant. **Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**
- BELLE OF SPRINGFIELD** (Pompon)—A splendid variety and the finest type in pompons, flowers of perfect shape, soft rosy red, and borne in profusion on slender stems above the foliage..... **Each, 40c; 3 for \$1.00**
- CANADA** (Peony)—One of, if not the largest, of all white Peony Dahlias. The flowers are massive, with heavy petals, and are held erect on long, stiff stems.

An early, free and continuous bloomer. The plant is strong, vigorous and healthy, exceptionally fine for cutting, exhibition or garden.

Each, 35c; Doz., \$3.50

CHAMPAGNE (Decorative)—Autumn shades from burnished copper to chamois.

Each, \$1.00

CITY OF PORTLAND (Peony)—The largest and most beautiful yellow of this type; colors, clear canary yellow.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

C. B. GITHENS (Cactus)—The ideal yellow cactus. The form is ideal. The color is clear, light yellow, without spot or blemish. The size is very large, with good substance and produced facing on long, slender, but stiff stems. As a cut flower it was our best seller in clear yellow. The plant is a very strong, vigorous grower and free bloomer. Splendid exhibition flower. Height 5 ft.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

CLARA HARSH (Pompon)—Yellow tipped crimson. Very pretty.

Each, 25c; Doz., \$2.50

DELICE (Dec.)—Still one of the loveliest of this class, on account of its wonderful color; a bright luminous pink, entirely distinct. The flowers are held facing, well above the foliage on straight, stiff stems.

Each, 25c; Doz., \$2.50

DR. I. N. BEEGLE (Hybrid Cactus)—Decidedly the best commercial white Hybrid Cactus. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower, with dark green, glossy foliage. The beautiful snow white flowers are held gracefully on rigid arching stems, presenting the flowers facing. It is an early and free bloomer. Size of flower 7 inches. Height 4 feet. Grown to single stems, a fine exhibition bloom.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

EASTERN STAR (Dec.)—One of the best of its type and color. Clear yellow shading to buff and orange. Flowers large, of splendid full, regular form, and borne erect on cane stiff stems. The plant is a strong, vigorous grower. Height 5 feet.

Each, \$2.50

FRANCES LOBDELL (Hybrid Cactus)—One of the great prize winners; mallow pink with white center.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

GEISHA (Peony)—The most striking color combination, golden yellow, changing to bright scarlet at the center of petal and back to gold at the tip. Giant flowers on long, wiry stems.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

INSULINDE (Dec.)—One of the finest and most artistic Dahlias, of distinct form with petals twisted and curled. Stems are two to three feet long, and flowers 9 to 10 inches across. Color, a rich saffron yellow, shaded russet orange. One of, if not the grandest of Holland's introductions.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

JERSEY'S BEAUTY (Dec.)—A fine large full pink; a strong grower with good stems.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

JERSEY'S GEM (Dec.)—Lavender pink; a strong, vigorous grower, on long, stiff stems.

Each, \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00

JESSICA (Pompon)—A very early and profusely blooming pompon, of perfect form; rich golden yellow, tipped red.

Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25

JUDGE MAREAN (Dec.)—A wonderful blending yellow, gold and orange suffused pink and edges red.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

KATHRYN DONGES (H. C. O.)—The greatest of all yellows. The size is immense, 9 to 10 inches; deep, with a full, high center, always full in marked contrast to Yellow King, which it resembles only in form, being more than twice the size. The stems are 2 to 5 feet long and as straight and erect as an Indian spear. Wherever shown it has been acknowledged the greatest yellow cactus in existence. The plant is 5 to 6 feet high and branching, a truly colossal Dahlia; beautiful form and soft color, with narrow petals so long and numerous that there is no heaviness.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

KITTY DUNLAP (Dec.)—Pure cerise rose. A large, fine flower 7 to 8 inches; a free bloomer on long cane stiff stems.

Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

LEO NIESSEN (Dec.)—It is nobly held erect on strong, cane, stiff stem. The color is a brilliant cardinal red with a glistening sheen. The plant is a strong, vigorous, sturdy, upright grower of branching habit; an early and continuous bloomer, producing the large, perfectly full flowers until killed by frost. Fine red decorative for exhibition, for the garden and for commercial cut flowers. It blooms under all conditions and is always perfect on long, stiff stems.

Each, \$2.50

LITTLE JEWEL (Dec. Pom.)—This is the miniature or pompon decorative; color peach-blossom pink.

Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25

- MABEL THATCHER** (Dec.)—Large flowers of a pale yellow shade, borne on strong, stiff stems. An immense exhibition Dahlia and a profuse bloomer. Each, 75c; 3 for \$1.90
- MAE GREFE** (Colossal Cactus)—This is the largest pink cactus in existence. It might be called a giant, stiff stemmed "Colossal Peace," as it is not only larger than that grand old favorite, but has long, stiff stems. It is a strong, vigorous grower and free bloomer. Color, pure pink, shading to rose pink, tinting lighter at center and tips of petals. A grand acquisition that will be universally grown. 5 ft. Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
- MEPHISTOPHELES** (Dec.)—Rich, deep, carmine red, lightly tipped yellow. Flowers very large, and borne erect on cane stiff stems. Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
- MR. C. H. DRESSELHUYS** (Dec.)—While the color is not so good as Delice, it is a more vigorous grower, producing the soft rose pink blooms freely on long, stiff stems. It will be grown by those who do not have success with Delice. It will not replace Delice as the color is much lighter and form, while similar, quite different. Each, 25c; doz., \$2.50
- MRS. CARL SALBACH** (Dec. Salbach)—One of the most dependable of all Dahlias. A sturdy, vigorous grower, full of blooms. The flowers, which are uniformly symmetrical, are beautiful mallow pink, and are borne on long, stout stems. Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25
- MRS. I. DE. VER WARNER** (Dec.)—Mauve pink; very large, of finest form, on long, stiff stems. Each, 75c; 3 for \$2.00
- MRS. RINK** (Dec.)—Hybrid Decorative. One of the most daintily beautiful Dahlias in existence; a flower that has attracted the greatest attention the past four years. The flowers are medium large, about 6 to 7 inches, and of beautiful color and texture. They are thoroughbred, and are carried on slender cane stiff stems. The color is a soft, clear seashell pink, without spot or blemish, except when it becomes a soft, clear, salmon pink. The plant is a vigorous grower, producing the exquisite flowers in profusion. 4 ft. Each, 75c; 3 for \$2.00
- MOTHER** (Hybrid-Cactus)—Symbolic of its name. Pure white with the slightest hint of color. It is large, so full, and carried proudly on an erect stem. The stem is well supplied with healthy green foliage, giving a still more striking resemblance to that old-fashioned Mother. It is going to be universally grown—for exhibition, cut flowers, and the garden. The plant is a strong, sturdy grower and a free and continuous bloomer. Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
- PEG O' ME HEART** (Peony)—One of the most pleasing of this type. Flowers large, of splendid form and held erect on long, stiff, graceful stems. Color a rich shade of cerise. Each, 75c; 3 for \$2.00
- PINK ROSEBUD** (Cactus)—One of the loveliest Dahlias grown. As a cut flower, it is the best of all pink cactus and entirely distinct. The buds are long, pointed, and the petals unfold like a long, pointed rose bud, one petal at a time. The buds are carried erect, like a rose bud, and when cut in this form, can be shipped long distances. It is perfect cactus form, when fully expanded, and always full to the center. The stems are long, straight and rigidly stiff. The color is pure pink, tinting lighter toward the center and tips of petals. The plant is a strong, sturdy grower, and a free and continuous bloomer. Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
- PRIDE OF DAHLIADEL** (Dec.)—A large, rich, velvety red, shaded maroon; splendid form and free bloomer, on long stiff stems. Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
- PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA** (Dec.)—Without doubt the best of the red decoratives. A vigorous grower and a very free bloomer. The large, deep red flowers are borne on very long, rigid stems and keep exceptionally well when cut. Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25
- ROOKWOOD** (Dec.)—Pure bright cerise. Immense flowers, produced freely on erect, stiff stems. Each, \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00
- SALBACH'S WHITE** (Dec.)—A most beautiful, large, ivory white decorative Dahlia of perfect form, full and deep and of wonderful substance. Keeps well and does not burn. A very profuse bloomer. Plants of medium height. This is claimed to be the peer of all white Dahlias. Each, \$4.00
- SANHICAN'S RUBY** (Dec.)—A color and bloom that are sure to succeed on the exhibition table. Color is deep shade of "Pigeon's Blood," suffused with bronze. Petals fluffy and pointed, thickly placed to form a very full flower. Has tremendous size and fine stem. Awarded Certificate of Merit by Dahlia Society of New Jersey. Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

- SHUDOW'S LAVENDER** (Dec.)—White, suffused and shaded silvery lavender. Large flowers borne erect on good stems.....Each, \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50
- SNOW CLAD** (Pompon)—The best pure white pompon.....Each, 25c; Doz., \$2.50
- SNOWDRIFT** (Dec.)—Immense, pure white. The plant is a dwarf grower of branching habit, and a free bloomer. One of the largest and best.
Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25
- THE GRIZZLY** (Dec.)—The richest, deep velvety red Dahlia yet produced. The plant is a vigorous grower and the very large stately blooms are held high on extra stout stems. Does especially well in a warm climate. Every grower should have this splendid Dahlia.....Each, 50c
- VENUS** (Dec.)—Color pale lilac; flowers of good form from 6 to 7 inches across, and produced freely on long, stiff stems.....Each, 50c; 3 for \$1.25
- MIXED COLORS**, regular, 50c, 75c, and \$1.00 each; not labeled, dozen, \$5.00. Half dozen at the dozen rate.

“Anderson Quality” Scores Again

It is especially gratifying to note that each succeeding season finds an ever increasing number of satisfied customers writing us of their delight and joy with our bulbs.

As we read these expressions of good-will, we feel that they are a full compensation for the efforts we are always making to give our friends the satisfaction they are entitled to have.

We would like to publish every one of them so that you could enjoy them with us, but lack of space forbids. We do, however, offer these as convincing proof that we are not overstating our claims for Quality Bulbs, and that our care and methods of merchandising are appreciated and therefore are worth while:

Minneapolis, Minn., April 24, 1928.

Mr. A. J. Anderson,

My dear Mr. Anderson:

My Glads that I ordered from you some time ago were received in the finest condition. Also please accept my heartiest thanks for all the extra bulbs that you so kindly sent me. Every bag that I opened was a surprise bag, both as to quantity and quality. I have never seen a nicer lot of bulbs than those you sent me, and it certainly is a pleasure to deal with people like you.

I hope that I will have the pleasure to meet you personally some time next summer. Count on me to be one of your boosters.

Yours truly,

T. W.

Union, Me., May 23, 1928.

A. J. Anderson,

Dear Sir:

Please pardon delay in letting you know of my order.

I was so pleased with the Golden Dream, also liberal count on bulbs. Mrs. ——— told me you are one of the best to deal with, and the way you used me has been a larger advertisement for you than you know.

My uncle is a State Horticulturist and is always pleased to see such clean stock and will help you a great deal. He will always boost an honest concern, so I do hope you profit by it.

Book me for your catalogue next fall.

Sincerely,

A. S.

Lewiston, Minn., Apr. 11, 1928.

A. J. Anderson,

Dear Mr. Anderson:

I received my order of gladiolus bulbs yesterday. I have received Glad bulbs from eight or a dozen different companies this spring, and for size of bulbs and number of extras yours exceed them all. And as far as I can tell, they are in good condition. I thank you for the extras. I can assure you of an order next spring, and of a good word to my friends.

Your very truly,

W. R. S.

Auburn, Me., February 27, 1928.

Mr. A. J. Anderson,

Dear Mr. Anderson:

A few days ago I received my second order from you for bulbs, and I cannot compliment you too highly on the manner in which you handled the order. They were certainly beautiful bulbs, packed very nicely, and were received in perfect condition.

I also wish to assure you that I am very grateful indeed for the extras which you put in.

The only thing I am sorry about is that I didn't order all of my bulbs from you instead of ordering from several different growers. However, I shall know next year where to place my orders, and you can be assured that anything which is mentioned in your catalogue will be purchased of you.

I am enclosing herewith another order which I know will receive the same attention that my other two orders received.

Wishing you a very prosperous season and thanking you for past favors, I remain,

Yours very truly,

W. D.

Rothschild, Wisc., May 8, 1928.

A. J. Anderson,

Dear Sir:

Thought I would drop you a few lines letting you know that I got your bulbs alright.

What do I think of the bulbs? Say, I never saw better ones, they certainly are fine. And thank you for the liberal count. Sorry I haven't more ground, then I'd order some more, but don't worry, you'll hear from me again. When I want more bulbs I know where to get them, that's at Anderson's.

Hope you have a successful season.

Remembering you,

J. B.

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 23, 1928.

My Dear Mr. Anderson:

Inclosed please find order and check for a few Dahlia tubers.

I am pleased to be able to get my tubers from you, as the Glad bulbs I have received from you the last few

years have all been wonderful, clean and free from disease, and not one but what has given perfect results. And best of all is your ideal methods of doing business, as I know it is not a matter of simply dollars and cents with you.

Again thanking you for past favors, I beg to remain,

Yours respectfully,

C. P. B.

Duluth, Minn., May 7, 1928.

Mr. A. J. Anderson,

Dear Mr. Anderson:

I found the box of bulbs waiting for me when I got home from a short visit late last evening, and when I looked them up in the catalogue you also kindly sent me, I was more than surprised at the very excellent varieties with which you had filled my order.

I thank you for sending me such a generous assortment and especially for the variety Golden Dream. I hope I may have success with these bulbs.

Thanking you again, and hoping to meet you personally at one or both of our Duluth Shows or at any time at your convenience, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

M. B.

Florence, Mass., March 19, 1928.

Mr. A. J. Anderson,

Dear Sir:

The bulbs that I ordered from you came Saturday and I was very much pleased with them. Thanks for the full counts and for the fine way in which they were packed. Will be glad to recommend you to my friends.

Yours very truly,

F. B.

Elkhart, Indiana, March 31, 1928.

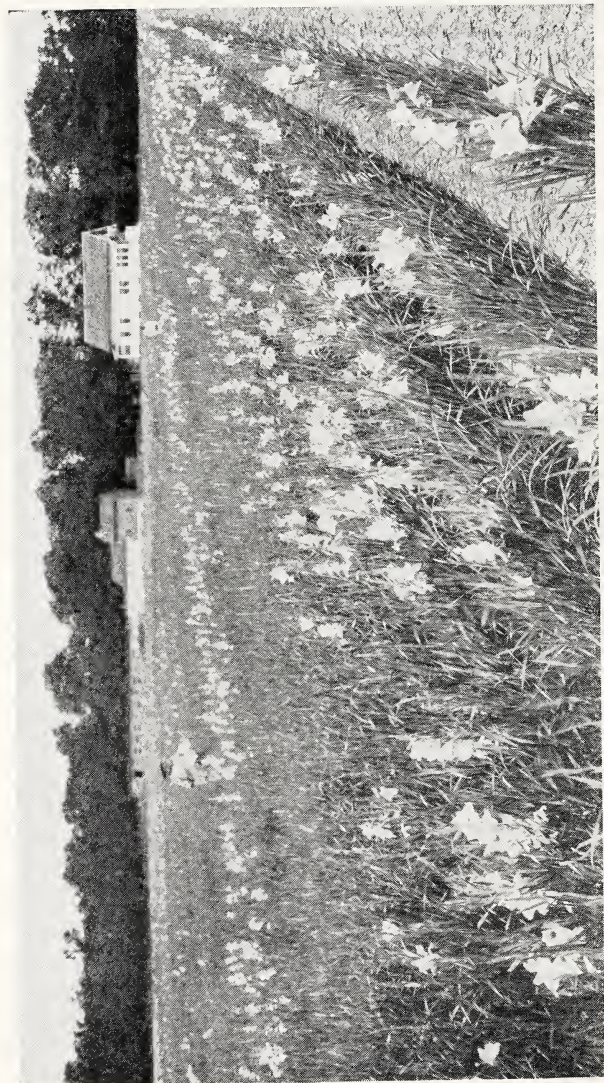
Mr. A. J. Anderson,

Dear Sir:

Bulbs received. Thanks for sending such choice bulbs and for filling my order so generously. I like your way of sending more of what is ordered rather than some extra which one does not care for or of which already has a sufficiency.

Yours very truly,

E. L.



ANOTHER VIEW OF OUR FIELD AT BLOOMING TIME

